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## Change Of Tactics Adopted By The German Air Force Discussed: Raids By Smaller Planes Reduces Weight Of Bombs Dropped In London Attacks

"Air supremacy will be ours when for every single German machine that comes over England, we can send two over to attack Germany and her occupied territories," said MR. OLIVER STEWART, commentator on aerial warfare, when he broadcast from Daventry last night, in the Overseas Service of the B.B.C.

Mr. Stewart was emphasizing the need for increased output of planes and trained pilots as one of the first steps necessary to meet the change of tactics adopted by the German Air Force in the attacks on Britain.

## LUFTWAFFE TRYING NEW DAYLIGHT TECHNIQUE

LONDON, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The Luftwaffe is trying new daylight technique of hawk-like attacks and swift retreat.

Diving out of the clouds over a midland town this afternoon a lone raider dropped several bombs, then swept low and machine-gunned the factory workers in a few seconds the raider was back in the clouds. No casualties were reported.

## Dodecanese Bombed

## DIRECT HIT ON HANGAR

LONDON, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—Italy's vital base in Eastern Mediterranean—the Dodecanese Islands—was on Friday one of the daily growing list of places bombed by the British Air Force in the Middle East.

In the island of Rhodes direct hits were scored on administrative buildings and on a hangar. Other operations on Friday included Barentu aerodrome (Sudan Gura), several times (Diredawa), Abyssinia (Sollum), North Egypt (Ben Ghazi), the already much battered Italian port in Libya.

Considerable success is claimed for the Barentu raid which was carried out by the South African Air Force.

## BURST INTO FLAMES

Three Italian fighters on the runway were shot up and burst into flames and six other aircraft were severely damaged by gunfire. The Diredawa visitation was made at night time. Stocks of bombs fell across the railway buildings and hangars.

At Benghazi heavy bombs fell among naval vessels moored on the south side of the Mole and on an adjoining quay where a merchant ship appeared to be hit.

An official statement declares that all British aircraft returned safely from these operations.

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## GERMANY SECURES FIRST CHEAP TRIUMPH IN NEAR EAST: YUGOSLAVIA SIGNS PROTOCOL TO THE EXISTING TRADE AGREEMENT WITH REICH

## Axis Attempts To Intimidate Greece Into Surrender Continue

A MESSAGE FROM BELGRADE STATES THAT BY EXERTING THE USUAL PRESSURE AND POLITICAL INTRIGUE, GERMANY HAS SECURED HER FIRST CHEAP TRIUMPH IN THE NEAR EAST BY THE SIGNING OF A PROTOCOL TO THE TRADE AGREEMENT BETWEEN YUGOSLAVIA AND THE REICH, ACCORDING TO A NEWS BULLETIN FROM DAVENTRY.

The agreement is stated to make Yugoslavia economically and politically dependent on Germany and will compel Yugoslavia to provide the Axis Powers with food and other resources of the country in return for vague German promises for consideration in the matter of price fixing, though preferential treatment for Yugoslavia by the Reich is abolished.

The Yugoslav Prime Minister, M. Markovitch, issued a statement saying that nothing now stands in the way of political collaboration between Germany and Yugoslavia.

The Axis moves to subject Yugoslavia and Bulgaria are clearly seen as a prelude to undermining any resistance which might be expected from Greece and Turkey, both of whom stand in the way of the Axis drive to the East.

The official Turkish radio has reaffirmed Turkey's decision to resist aggression. It is stated that Russia may feel completely different to the fate of the Balkans but this will not prevent those States from taking the stand that they have determined upon.

Greece will stand firm and determined.

## NO SECRET

It is no secret that Bulgaria has been made certain promises and from Sofia comes a report that a hint has been given that by helping the Axis Powers, Bulgaria may be given a part of Yugoslav territory in Macedonia.

Meanwhile Axis attempts to intimidate Greece continue. Berlin and Rome hope to frighten Greece into surrender, but there is no indication from Greece that her Government or her people are being diverted from their determination to oppose such designs.

An attack on Greece would be followed by effective counter-measures and the British Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean Fleet is keeping a close watch on the developments. Resistance by Greece will make Greek bases available to the British Navy.

Turkey is concentrating troops on the European frontier to resist the Axis drive to the Dardanelles. Germany is reported to have tried to influence the Turkish Government by the offer of Scilla to the Turks as a reward, but the Turks are under no illusions of the value of Axis promises.

Reports from Rome state that Signor Mussolini has left to inspect Italian troops on the Yugoslav frontier.

## CIANO FOR BERLIN

Another message states that Count Ciano has also left Rome for Berlin, where talks are expected to take place which, it is stated will see Russia enter the Axis Alliance.

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## CANAL DUES TO INCREASE

CAIRO, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The Suez Canal Company has informed the Egyptian Finance Minister that it proposes to increase the Canal dues to eight shillings (sterling) per ton loaded, and four shillings on ballast.

The Egyptian Ministry of Finance has replied that it reserves its rights regarding the proposal until the attitude of the French Government has been made completely clear.

## POSITION OF GREECE AND TURKEY IS NOT DESPERATE: MUST STAND TOGETHER

CAIRO, OCT. 20 (REUTER).—WHILE INTEREST HAS NATURALLY BEEN AROUSED THROUGHOUT THE NEAR EAST BY SPECIOUS REPORTS FROM AXIS SOURCES regarding impending German moves there is a general disposition to take the German hints of the possibility of a drive to the South-East through Anatolia with increasing scepticism.

Support is lent to this view by all reports reaching here from Turkey.

Two outstanding impressions are retained by Reuter's special correspondent who has just made a 1,300-mile journey from Istanbul across Syria and Palestine to Cairo.

The first is Turkey's absolute determination to resist any violation of her security, and

Secondly, the impassable nature of Anatolia, especially in winter.

Kemal Ataturk realised that his Republic's army was liable to be weaker in mechanised units than those of the great Western Powers and, therefore, not only planned his strategic roads accordingly but also deliberately omitted to construct certain roads where they might prove advantageous to an advancing enemy.

The EGYPTIAN GAZETTE emphasises that in any drive through Turkey the Germans would find no oil and little food and ammunition while the transport of these necessities from Germany would be a superhuman task with the Danube frozen over for many months.

The journal adds: "The position of Greece and Turkey is not desperate and if they stand together they can, with the aid of Britain, wreck any plans Hitler may have in this part of the world."

## German Dockyards Again Successfully Attacked

LONDON, Oct. 21 (Reuter).—German dockyards and shipyards were again successfully attacked by British bombers on Friday night. At Hamburg the attacks were directed against the Blohm and Voss shipyards where German warships are known to be under construction.

Despite the handicaps of an overcast sky the shipyards were heavily bombed in a series of individual sorties which continued at intervals for nearly three-and-a-half hours.

The naval base at Kiel was also successfully raided.

Ground mist and low clouds prevented accurate observation of results of the attacks made on docks at Hamburg, Emden and Lubek but it is believed that heavy damage was caused in the German shipyards at Hamburg.

Bomber forces operating over the Ruhr met with much more favourable weather and an important aluminium plant at Lemnis near Dortmund was easily located and destroyed.

## Promotions In Police Force: New A.S.P.'s

The following promotions in the Hongkong Police Force have been notified with effect from Oct. 17:

To be Acting Assistant Superintendent of Police:—  
Chief Inspector Archibald Henry Elston;  
Chief Inspector William Richard Chester-Woods.  
To be Acting Chief Inspector:—  
Inspector John Caldwell Shaw.  
Inspector Charles Robert Rozesky.

## TRANSFERS

Mr. L. R. C. Calthrop, D. S. P. (Kowloon) has been transferred to Hongkong.

Mr. W. Thompson, Supt. of Police (Hongkong) has been transferred to Kowloon.

## ALL JOINED IN 1919

Both Mr. Elston and Mr. Chester-Woods joined the Police Force in 1919. The former is with the Special Branch while Mr. Chester-Woods is Principal of the Police Training School. Insps. Fender and Rozesky also joined the Police in 1919.

## LINERS FOR U.S. EVACUEES

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The steamer Monterey (18,017 tons), of the Oceania S. S. Company, which left Los Angeles on Oct. 16 will call at Yokohama and Shanghai to evacuate United States citizens, according to the State Department.

The Mariposa (18,017 tons), of the same company, will leave Honolulu on Oct. 30 for Shanghai.

## SCHOOL REMAINS OPEN

SHANGHAI, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—While co-operating with the authorities in connexion with the proposed evacuation of American children, the Shanghai American School, where approximately 500 children are enrolled, will remain open pending further developments, according to a resolution adopted at the annual meeting on Friday.

## Trafalgar Day

Today is Trafalgar Day. A news bulletin from Daventry last night said that the Nelson spirit has been active in the British Navy in the past week.

A German convoy was sunk, Dunkirk and Cherbourg were shelled, three Italian transports were sunk in the Mediterranean and British submarines sank 11,800 tons of Italian shipping in the Mediterranean.

## \$1,000 LOST

In a report to the Police yesterday, Ip Pak-chik, merchant, of Queen's Road, stated that while walking near the Central Market he either lost or had stolen from him a pocket wallet containing \$1,000 in notes.



# In the World of Sports

## VANITY FAIR DISQUALIFIED FOR BUMPING AND BORING

### Windfall For Holder Of Ticket On Thirty Six: "Double" Upset

THE NINTH EXTRA MEETING OF THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB, on Saturday, was marked by several sensations the chief of which was the return of \$7,572 made by Pampersnickel, which dead-heated with Brown Derby in the second leg of the "Bally Double," to its solitary supporter. The holders of the 23 tickets on Brown Derby each received \$329.20.

In the first section of the Nullah Nullah Handicap, Springhurst which carried more than half of the total win tickets came in third. Income Tax (Mr. B. L. Tao up), the winner, paid \$336.30, the highest dividend of the day.

## SPECIAL DOLLAR SWEEP FIRST PRIZE \$168,112.00

Chief interest in Saturday's race meeting was centred on the drawing of the Special Dollar Sweep on which 395,000 tickets were sold. The result of the drawing was as follows:—

First prize, ticket number 265,429 wins \$168,112.

Second prize, ticket number 78,521 wins \$48,032.

Third prize, ticket number 43,704 wins \$24,016.

Tickets drawing ponies, whether starters or non-starters, win \$1,875.25 each.

The complete draw is as follows:—

### RACE EIGHT

Advancing Time	263734
Attacking Time	311219
Blue Field	126933
Blue Gate (3rd)	43704
Boat Bay	185897
Bronze Arrow	102894
Celtic Star	83939
Dawn Star	321687
Emergency Unit	221814
Eye of Dancing	35134
Eye of Hunting	73156
Galveston Bay	209794
Gladiator	117218
Guinness Time	84421
Jane Doe	127162
Just In Time	118442
Laughing Girl	342513
Lovely Star	108723
Musketier	319566
Ohio	83619
Ojibway	312650
Omph	193513
Patricia	184894
Pinfathings	148355
Rose Evelyn	56130
Rose Flana	98114
Rose-Queen	144013
Royal Highness	87980
Royal Wedding Eve	312989
Soldier of Britain	202682
Strathbannock	32564
Tampa Bay	314360
Taxing Master	163460
Thirty Six (1st)	265429
Victoria (2nd)	78521

## ADVERTISEMENT

### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Tenth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 2nd November, 1940 (Weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, The Sports Club, and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 24th October, 1940.

By Order

C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

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## CASH SWEEPS

Race 1  
No. 5384 ..... \$2,998.80  
2704 ..... 858.80  
2685 ..... 428.40  
Tickets Nos. 4730, 383, 5014, 469, get \$50 each.

Race 2  
No. 5715 ..... \$3,178.00  
2139 ..... 908.00  
1313 ..... 454.00  
Tickets Nos. 5196, 2257, 5724, 4018, 6219, 5130, 3909, 4571, get \$50 each.

Race 3  
No. 5944 ..... \$3,460.80  
3361 ..... 988.80  
3154 ..... 494.40  
Tickets Nos. 5447, 1882, 6325, 5003, 1471, 1544, get \$50 each.

Race 4  
No. 787 ..... \$8,762.00  
6614 ..... 1,932.00  
3487 ..... 966.00  
Tickets Nos. 578, 254, 4676, 5060, 2901, 5690, get \$100 each.

Race 5  
No. 3097 ..... \$3,798.20  
6852 ..... 1,085.20  
3368 ..... 542.60  
Tickets Nos. 4902, 6601, 2212, 2240, 2761, 6096, 2481, get \$50 each.

Race 6  
No. 5359 ..... \$8,924.40  
5835 ..... 1,978.40  
1927 ..... 989.20  
Tickets Nos. 2129, 4887, 1619, 166, 3400, 2761, 2049, 5598, 4784 get \$100 each.

Race 7  
No. 706 ..... \$2,578.50  
6374 ..... 2,578.50  
No. 2628 ..... 573.00  
"Dead Heat"

Tickets Nos. 3087, 4871, 7598, 2218, 3359, 3572, 2674, get \$50 each.

Race 8  
No. 265429 ..... \$168,112.00  
78521 ..... 48,032.00  
43704 ..... 24,016.00

Tickets Nos. 263734, 311219, 126933, 185897, 102894, 83939, 321687, 221814, 35134, 73156, 209794, 117218, 84421, 127162, 118442, 342513, 108723, 319566, 83619, 312650, 193513, 184894, 148355, 56130, 98114, 144013, 87980, 312989, 202682, 32564, 314360, 163460, get \$1,875.25

outside and easily overhauled Franklin and the fast tiring Triumphant Day.

Passing the Stands Income Tax responded gamely to its jockey's urge and ran in winner a short head in front of Fair Chance with the red-hot favourite, Springhurst which made a belatedly valiant effort—third. Flying Dutchman was fourth, whilst the second favourite, Contact, came in with the rest of the field.

2—Nullah Nullah Handicap—"B" Class (One Mile)

Mr. Taxpayer's Income Tax, 148 lbs. (Mr. B. L. Tao) 1  
Mr. Weetoo's Fair Chance, 152 lbs. (Mr. Proulx) 2  
Mr. Billy's Springhurst, 149 lbs. (Mr. Poy) 3

Won by short head, the same between second and third.

Parl Mutuel:—  
Winner: \$339.30.  
Places: \$39.70, \$15.20, \$5.80.

Also ran:—A Great Time, 150 lbs. (P. Y. T. Wei); Cocklerod, 140 lbs. (S. L. Yuen); Contact, 157 lbs. (H. H. S. Davis); Criffel, 158 lbs. (D. H. S. S.).

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## Lee Po-luen Establish New Record

Miss Lee Po-luen, China's new mermaid, broke the China National record for the 200 Metres breast-stroke when she clocked 3 mins. 38 secs. for the event at North Point on Saturday night when the Chinese Swimming Championships were concluded at the South China Bathing Pavilion.

Chan Chun-nam broke the National record for the second time when he was clocked at 22 mins. 44.5 secs. for the 1,500 Metres free-style. He could not, however, better his own record, established at the Chinese Y. M. C. A. Aquatic Sports on Oct. 12, when he covered the distance in 21.51.8.

Mr. Tse Yue-chuen, chairman of the S. C. A. A., presented the prizes at the conclusion of the meet.

### RESULTS

Following are the results:—  
Men's 400 Metres free-style Relay:—1. Hoi Tin Swimming Union (Wong Chi-hung, Lee Fook-kee, Ng Chun-man and Ng Nin); 2. Lai Tsun Swimming Union (Tsang Cheong-min, Lau Tai-ping, Kam Hop-ming and Chan Chun-nam); 3. Ching Wing Swimming Union (Leung Lit-kwong, Chan Wing-kai, Fung Kwai-sang and Lau Yuk-ming). Time: 5 mins. 10 secs.

Ladies' 50 Metres free-style:—1. Miss Ho Wai-king; 2. Miss Yu Pui-yuk; 3. Miss Chan Mei-chong. Time: 30 secs.

Men's 100 Metres back-stroke:—1. Shek Kam-pui; 2. Lau Yiu-ting; 3. Kwok Chun-hang. Time: 1 min. 28 secs.

Ladies' 200 Metres breast-stroke:—1. Miss Lee Po-luen; 2. Miss Ho Wai-king; 3. Miss Ngan Shunt-yee. Time: 3 mins. 38 secs. (Record).

Men's 50 Metres free-style:—1. Ng Nin; 2. Ng Chun-man; 3. Wong Chi-hung. Time: 25.1/5 secs.

Ladies' 400 Metres free-style:—1. Miss Yip Choi-man; 2. Miss Ho Wai-king; 3. Miss Lee Po-luen. Time: 7 mins. 54.5 secs.

Men's 1,500 Metres free-style:—1. Chan Chun-nam; 2. Chu Fai-lam; 3. Yau Sai-kwan. Time: 22 mins. 44.3/5 secs. (Record).

LONG DISTANCE RACE IN H.K.

The athletic department of Hongkong-Kowloon Tenants' Association is making arrangements for a "Long Distance Run" to be open to competitors of all nationalities. It is learnt that this race will be the first of its kind ever to take place in this Colony.

The race will take place on November 10, and all competitors should register for the event before the end of this month. All applications for particulars should be made directly to No. 6 Queen's Road Central (2nd fl.) or to 556, Nathan Road (3rd fl.) Kowloon.

SUDDEN DEATH OF SHANGHAI SPORTSMAN

SHANGHAI, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—Mr. Alex. Henderson, 47, a well-known sportsman, died suddenly from heart failure while playing golf this morning. He was participating in the China Open Amateur Championship.

The late Mr. Henderson was a member of St. Andrew's Society and had been a resident of Shanghai for 20 years. He was also the owner of the firm of Alex. Henderson and the Captain of the Shanghai Golf Club.

He is survived by his wife and daughter.

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## SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL:

### KOWLOON SHARES POINTS WITH EASTERN: S. CHINA TOO GOOD FOR MIDDLESEX

THE BIGGEST SURPRISE OF THE FOOTBALL SEASON was provided by the Kowloon F. C. on Saturday when they drew with Eastern in a dull and uninteresting game, each side scoring twice.

The Chinese appeared badly off form and were really lucky to snatch a point as Kowloon was leading by the odd goal up to ten minutes from the end. Hay Ching-to being responsible for saving his side from defeat.

Eastern's forward line without Hui Van-kwei was lacking in its usual brilliance and the passing, especially near the opposing goal, was weak. This was partly due to the excellent show put up by the Kowloon backs.

Many shots by Tsao Chao-ting, however, just skimmed over the cross-bar and some of them were hard enough to have defeated the goalie had they been aimed truer.

Hsu King-shing, Eastern's captain was the mainstay of his side and did heroic work in attack and defence. For the other side Blake and Elsieley were the most prominent in the forward line.

Eastern opened through Cheung Kam-hoi who made no mistake in converting a penalty. Kowloon soon equalised through Blake who netted from a pass of Elsieley.

Shortly before half time Blake scored again for Kowloon and the score was two one in their favour.

The second half saw up and down play with neither side making any progress until the last few minutes when Hay Ching-to netted the equaliser.

EASTERN—Lau Hin-hon; Kong Sing-king, S. Y. Yuen; S. T. Lin; Hsu King-shing; Lu Wai-luen; Chong Yung-sum; Ku Wing-fook; Cheung Kam-hoi, C. T. Tsao and Hau Ching-to.

KOWLOON.—Lapsley; Lamau, Ulrich; Maxwell, Williamson, Hutchison; Elsieley, Truscott, Blake, Jackson and White.

FURTHER POINTS FOR CHAMPIONS

The only other First Division game was between South China and Middlesex which the former won by six goals to three, Lee Wai-long being responsible for five.

The veteran player was in splendid form and played an excellent game.

It was a fast ding-dong struggle and while the Chinese brought off some fine movements the "Diehards" back frequently broke up some excellent passing. The score was not a true indication of the play for the soldiers had an equal share of the exchanges but their forwards, compared to their opponents, were slow off the mark.

Middlesex defence played a great game, Bright, at the pivotal berth making a successful comeback. He and Fresh-water marked Lee closely but despite their attentions the latter managed to elude them on many occasions.

FAST PACE

Play opened at a fast pace with each side taking up the attack in turn. Shortly after the start South China opened their account through Lee Wai-long who completed the "hat trick" with two further goals in the space of a few minutes. Just before the interval Sheehan reduced the arrears.

Straight from resumption Lee Tak-kee further increased the lead, but undaunted the "Diehards" took up the attack right from the kick-off and they again reduced arrears through Coomer.

Lee Wai-long, who was in irresistible form, netted twice in quick succession and, in the closing minutes, Sheehan put in the last goal of the match.

MIDDLESEX—Jackson; Fresh-water, Riches; Parker, Bright, Wilkinson; Coomer, Pearson, Sheehan, Saw and Marable.

SOUTH CHINA—Tam Kwan-kon; Tsang Chung-wan, Lee Kwok-wai, Lau Hing-choi, Lam Tak-po, Tse Kam-hung; Lee Tak-kee, Lau Chung-sang, Lee Wai-long, Chow Man-chi and Lee Shek-yau.

OTHER RESULTS

Results of Second and Third Division League games on Saturday were as follows:—

SECOND DIVISION

Middlesex 1 South China 1, Kowloon 2 Navy 3, Sing Tao 2, R. A. O. C. 2, R. A. C. 9, Club 0.

THIRD DIVISION

R.A.F. 5, S. O. 0, 17, 4, 10, 24th R.A. 5, 3, 1, 17, 4, 7, Int'l. 4, 3, 1, 16, 6, 7, Signals 5, 3, 1, 9, 7, 7, 12th R.A. 5, 2, 1, 9, 5, 6, 7th R.A. 5, 2, 1, 2, 13, 8, 5, 35th R.A. 4, 1, 2, 1, 8, 9, 4, R.E. 5, 2, 0, 3, 17, 14, 4, 20th R.A. 4, 1, 2, 8, 12, 3, R.A.M.C. 5, 2, 0, 3, 6, 12, 4, Shell 5, 0, 1, 4, 2, 1, 1, R.A.S.C. 5, 0, 1, 4, 2, 18, 1, A.S.A. 4, 0, 0, 4, 1, 25, 0.

ROYALS SUCCEEDED

In the Second Division, Royal Scots beat Kwong Wah by three goals to one.

SAPPERS' NET SIX

The Royal Engineers, leaders of the Second Division, delighted their supporters yesterday when they beat a strong Police eleven at Caroline Hill 6-1.

The feature of the match was the stout defence put up by the Police.

Moxham, in goal, handled the ball quite well, although he was very seldom called upon to save. The outstanding man of the match was the Sappers' outside right, Li Wai-lan, who found the net no fewer than four times. Fox was a very dashing and capable leader, being responsible for one goal.

For the Police, Chris Fife played a useful game at left-back and Todd, in goal, was safe. Goal-scorers for the Sappers were Fox, Pelham and Li Wai-lan (4), while Gordon replied for the Police.

Police: Todd, Mui Siu-ki, C. Fife, Fan Kwai-choi, Channing, Mak Hon-fan; Wong Che-man, Gordon, Mok Wai-lun, Coull, Kong Hing.

R.E.: Moxham; Lo Kan-ho, Tang Chung-pak; Birrell, Shaw, Taylor, Li Wai-lan, Chan Kum-poy, Fox, Pelham, Chung Sing.

In a Third Division League match yesterday R.A.M.C. beat A.S.A. by four clear goals at Chatham Road.

Internationals defeated 7th R.A. by three goals to one.

## UNINTERESTING FOOTBALL AT SOOKUNPOO

In a game that lacked thrills and interest Royal Scots beat Kwong Wah by five goals to three at Sookunpoo yesterday in the First Division.

Royal Scots were easily the superior team, their defence proving too strong for the electricians' forwards who were, on the whole, very ragged.

Hossack was in fine form and netted four of his side's goals, despite the attention of Pelham. The latter played a good game at centre-half.

Duncan was rarely tested while the steady defence of Fraser and Naysmith was an obstacle that Kwong Wah found hard to penetrate.

Lee Kwok-kee, who was injured just before the interval appeared shaky between the sticks, and fumbled badly on a number of occasions.

B. Gosano tried hard on the right wing but many of his centres were not turned to good advantage. Chin Chi-fun had a poor day at centre-forward being too well watched by Parnaby.

EARLY LEAD

Kwong Wah started in grand style and a minute from the commencement saw them in the lead when Cheuk Shek-kam scored from a corner taken by Wong King-chung. Ten minutes later, however, Royals equalised through Hossack, only to see Gosano run in from the wing, to give Kwong Wah the lead again.

Play at this stage was quite even. Marshall beat Lee Kwok-kee to put the Royals on level terms. Shortly after Hossack scored to see the Royals lead for the first time. Just before the interval Hossack again netted to give Royals a 4-2 lead. Lee made no effort to save the last goal and appeared to have sprained his ankle.

Kwong Wah took the field in the second half with ten men, Lewis' keep goal instead of Lee. Royals again took up the attack but in a breakaway Wong King-chung reduced the arrears.

This success resulted in Kwong Wah making great efforts to score but the Scots' defence was up to the occasion. About six minutes from time Hossack headed in a centre from Marshall to put the issue beyond doubt.

Royal Scots: Duncan; Fraser, Naysmith; Clark, Parnaby, Munro; Woods, Marshall, Hossack, Symons and Gilroy.

Kwong Wah: Lee Kwok-kee; Remedios, Chung Fai-lam; Lewis, Woe, Pereira, Chung Kin-fai; B. T. Gosano; Lau Fook-chuen, Chin Chi-fun, Cheuk Shek-kam and Wong King-chung.

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# GERMANY IN SEARCH OF NEW FIELDS FOR CONQUEST

## Sweeping Axis Demands On Greece Reported: Bulgaria Also Target Of Propaganda

LONDON, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—There were fresh signs yesterday of Germany's search for a new front on which she hopes to win an easy victory such as she has scored over Rumania and to a lesser extent, over Bulgaria.

Latest target for the Axis is Greece, on whom all the machinery of German and Italian propaganda has been turned full blast.

It was reported in Ankara yesterday that sweeping demands have been made on Greece by the Axis. These are said to include:—

The immediate severing of trade relations with Britain; The handing over of certain airports to Germany and Italy; The abdication of the King; The resignation of the Premier, General Metaxas, and The formation of a pro-Axis Government.

**INCREASED PRESSURE**  
The Turkish radio stated that pressure from Berlin and Rome on Greece is being gradually increased.

The announcer added: "Greece knows that once she gets a finger caught in the Axis machine, the hand, arm, body, foot, all will be devoured."

**BULGARIA ALSO**  
Steps are also being taken, it was reported in Ankara, to bring Bulgaria to heel—as was done so successfully with Rumania.

The Germans have gone far enough ahead, already, it was stated, to be able to take over Bulgaria "at any time they wish." At least 5,000 Germans are now in the country, including drivers and pilots for tanks and planes for which Bulgaria has no crews.

Nazi propaganda is becoming increasingly hostile to King Boris, who recently pardoned Communists and the Slav leader who is a prominent friend of Russia.

**WUOING OF ARMY**  
In addition to intriguing against the King, the Nazis are trying to win over the Bulgarian army.

The Commander-in-Chief of the Bulgarian army in the last war told a meeting of the Reserve Officers' Association that "Hitler has recognised Bulgarian claims as included in the military treaty with Germany in 1915."

This would mean the cessation of Macedonia to Bulgaria by Yugoslavia.

**GREEK DENIAL**  
The reports of sweeping demands on Greece were described by the official news agency in Athens yesterday as "fantastic."

Reports that Soviet troops had entered Rumania and that a Soviet destroyer had sunk a Rumanian ship in the Black Sea were denied in a statement issued by the official Tass agency in Moscow yesterday.

The agency also denied a report published abroad that a clash had occurred between Soviet and German frontier guards in the vicinity of Galatz.

## NAZI PARTY IN AMERICA

### DIES COMMITTEE INVESTIGATION

NEW YORK, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—The German consul here is the latest Nazi official in the United States to come under suspicion for illegal activities.

A member of the Dies Committee which is investigating un-American activities, said yesterday that the consul was concerned in the organisation of a Nazi Party in the United States.

There was no confirmation, he added, of a report that the consul was also mixed up with espionage, sabotage and propaganda.

It is reported that 80 Russians and 120 Germans are suspected of military and economic espionage and propaganda activities.

## RAID VICTIMS IN BRITAIN

### OVER 6 THOUSAND AMONG KILLED

LONDON, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—As already reported, it was officially announced yesterday that during September 6,954 civilians were killed in the United Kingdom by air raids and 10,615 injured.

An analysis of these figures has not yet been complete, but a preliminary survey shows that among the killed were 1,920 men, 2,210 women and 694 children under the age of 15.

The seriously injured included 1,178 men, 3,629 women and 675 children under the age of 15.

Of the remaining killed and not yet fully classified 1,157 were men and 573 women.

## CABLE NEWS IN BRIEF

LONDON, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—Air Marshal Sir Charles Portal, former Chief of the Bomber Command, is to take over his new post as supreme head of the R. A. F. in a few days.

NEW DELHI, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—The Viceroy of India, Lord Linlithgow, returned here yesterday from Kashmir.

LONDON, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—The German authorities in occupied France yesterday threatened severe punishment for those who cross the border into Free France or send funds out of occupied territory.

LONDON, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—Supporters of the Free French Government headed by General de Gaulle in London are now in undisputed possession of the administration of New Caledonia.

LONDON, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—A number of important questions were discussed at a meeting of the Italian Cabinet under the presidency of Mussolini, the official Stefani agency stated yesterday.

LONDON, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—An admission that two German planes crashed on landing after raiding London on Thursday-Briday night was made by the official German news agency yesterday. It added only one German plane was shot down during the night attack.

BUCHAREST, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—Many train services in Rumania and Yugoslavia are being cancelled. In Yugoslavia 80 services will stop on Wednesday. The suspensions are connected with the speed up of deliveries to Germany.

MADRID, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—Jose Maria Alfara was yesterday dismissed from his post as Under-Secretary for Press and Propaganda in the Franco Government.

BUCHAREST, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—Sixty Britons who have arrived in Istanbul from the Rumanian port of Constanza stated yesterday they had undergone a searching questioning which was fairly severe though not so exhaustive as that experienced by the first batch.

## Australia Has Modern Fighting Force For Land, Air & Sea

MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA.—UNTIL 10 YEARS AGO GENERAL STONEWALL JACKSON'S TREATISE ON WARFARE WAS THE MILITARY BIBLE OF EVERY AUSTRALIAN ARMY OFFICER. But within the past decade the Anzacs have discarded the rugged Jackson's theories and tactics and have developed a modern, mechanized army which is pouring much of its strength into the overseas campaign.

**ON LAND, IN THE AIR, AND ALONG ITS COASTAL REACHES.**  
Australia has a fighting force which, although comparatively small in contrast to the mighty armies of Europe, gives no quarter for efficiency and man-for-man power.

Typical of the brawny Anzac soldier is the case of a Maori at Camp Puckapunyal—an aboriginal name, incidentally, which means "Death to the Eagle." Verified records showed that the man joined the army in the world war at the age of 124. He won a commission in the field at Gallipoli at 15. Now only 37, he is back in the army—Australia's youngest veteran. Another enlisted man was found to have served in the Boer War in 1900 but gave his age as "just under 40."

**TRAINED AS SOLDIERS**

Of such men is the Anzac army composed. Most of its volunteers are strapping farm youths from the coastal plains, miners from the interior and some natives. They are being trained as soldiers, not as parade columns. They lead no hard and fast camp life with emphasis on drill, but frequently go night and day-of manoeuvres.

Major-Gen. J. Northcott is acting chief of the general staff and head of the Australian army. His task is on two fronts, to insure proper defence of Australia and to provide all the man power possible for the Australian Imperial Forces.

For service abroad, Australia has dispatched one division to Palestine and another is ready to sail. A total of 100,000 is under training for expeditionary work. Home defense is calculated to require 250,000 men to garrison coastal and internal stations. Records show that one division of some 14,000 men can be mustered from 500,000 population for first line duty, so the contingent, with a total population of only 7,000,000, faces a low recruit limitation point.

**FULLY EQUIPPED**  
There is one principal difference in the expeditionary force of 1940 compared with 1914-18. Every contingent sent abroad is completely equipped and self-sufficient. It arrives ready for action and needs no supplies or equipment from the mother country.

When the war began Australia had six cruisers and a flotilla of small destroyers and lesser craft. Subsequently merchantmen have been fitted out for duty and most of them now are in the Mediterranean. The major task of the naval commander, Sir Bagin Colvin, is to protect shipping in the Australian sphere of influence. A few German raiding ships have invaded the Tasman Sea and neighboring waters, but their prizes have been comparatively few.

Australian naval men place most of their hope for safety in Singapore. They feel no attack will bear upon Australia as long as Singapore stands as a British bulwark. Because of Australia's tremendous coastline they believe it would require the strength of a gigantic navy, successfully to pierce the outer defenses. At Darwin, the nation's northern spring board, a large base is being rushed to completion.

**26,000 TRAINING FOR AIR**  
In the air, Australia hopes to train and make available for empire and home defense 26,000 crews consisting of a pilot, observer and wireless-gunner. Thus far, according to Sir Charles Burnett, air chief marshal, approximately one-third of that number either is under training or is ready for service.

Operation of the air force is in close conjunction with the army and navy, particularly the latter. Approximately 100 Lockheed Hudsons, imported from the United States, and a fleet of Wirraways, licensed from North American Aviation but built in Australia, form the backbone of the air force. Complementing these are fighter planes and lesser craft. Landing fields have been spotted around the entire coast line so that the air force working with the navy might act swiftly to intercept an approaching enemy.

No large coastal guns are manufactured in Australia but virtually every other conceivable type of material necessary for warfare now is under production.

## NAZI EXPERTS IN RUMANIA

### ENCOURAGEMENT OF WAR INDUSTRIES

BUCHAREST, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—German experts are arriving daily in Rumania to assume the direction of munitions and aeroplane factories. It was reported yesterday.

The Council of Ministers of the Rumanian Government has adopted a series of decrees to make the Rumanian economy supplement German economy. Henceforth only Rumanian industries that will be encouraged will be those making war materials or using Rumanian war materials.

Their industrial system will be reorganised with all industries classified, and those dubbed "parasitic" will be closed immediately.

The campaign also plans to increase agricultural production.



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## Italy Expels U.S. Newsman

### NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT IS ASKED TO LEAVE

ROME, Oct. 19.—Herbert Matthews, correspondent of the New York Times, was asked to leave Italy today because President Roosevelt read one of his dispatches to Washington newspapermen as indicating that the Axis was interfering in the presidential election.

### "ELECTION MANOEUVRE"

This makes the fifth United States' correspondent expelled from Italy in the past 18 months. Thomas McEvoy and Tom Calhoun of Life Magazine were asked to leave shortly after Italy entered the war. Richard Mower of the Chicago Daily News was expelled in 1939 and H. R. Ekins of the United Press was expelled in August, 1939.

Authoritative Italian quarters said Matthews was expelled because Mr. Roosevelt made use of the Rome dispatch "as an election manoeuvre." It was intimated that no objections would have been made to the dispatch itself, which was considered a purely speculative account of the subjects Hitler and Mussolini might have discussed at the Brenner meeting, had the President not made it more or less of an international issue by reading it at his press conference.

### AMPLE TIME

Press officials who informed Matthews of his expulsion indicated there were no objections against him personally and they were giving him ample time to leave—ten days or more if necessary. This is contrary to the customary procedure whereby correspondents are usually given between 12 and 48 hours in which to go according to the gravity of the offense.

That the Italian government attaches considerable importance to "international" complications arising from the dispatch can be seen, however, in the fact that this is the first time an official communiqué has ever been issued regarding any expulsion of a journalist.

### "DISTURBED RELATIONS"

The communiqué particularly mentioned the dispatch had "disturbed relations between the Axis and the United States." This is the first time also that an expulsion has been written about by Italy's leading political commentator, Virginio Gayda. United States Charge d'Affaires Edward Reed has taken up the

## FLOOD HAVOC IN SPAIN

### OVER 400 BELIEVED KILLED, INJURED

VICHY, Oct. 19 (Reuter).—More than 400 have been drowned or injured in floods in north-east Spain, according to a Barcelona message received here yesterday.

This follows earlier accounts of severe damage by floods at Perpignan and other places on the French side of the eastern Pyrenees.

Rivers in Catalonia rose nine to 12 feet as a result of torrential rain and the floods reached first floor balconies in some streets.

Eighty were drowned and 30 injured in the neighbourhood of Torrello where some 200 houses and six factories were destroyed.

### BODIES RECOVERED

It was stated in Madrid that General Franco has ordered special help to be sent to the flooded regions with 100,000 pesetas for immediate needs.

The bodies of 26, out of 80 people drowned near Torrello, have been recovered.

A train from Barcelona to Torrello was crossing the River Ter when the bridge gave way under it and part of the train fell into the water, two passengers being drowned.

News has been received that John S. Dovey, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dovey, of Shanghai, has joined the R. A. F. to be trained as a pilot. An ex-Catholic School boy, John Dovey left Shanghai in 1935 to continue his education at home and was in his third year at the Royal (Dick) Veterinary College, Edinburgh, where he has made extremely good progress.

expulsion order with the foreign office and is making efforts to get it rescinded.

Matthews won esteem of the Italians when he was a correspondent with the Italian army during the Ethiopian campaign. He risked his life several times while reporting battles and was awarded an Italian war cross following the Italian triumphant entry into Addis Ababa.

Although he later spent nearly three years in Republican Spain when Italian troops were fighting for Generalissimo Francisco Franco, Rome gave him a cordial welcome when he came here in April, 1939.

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## REPRESENTATIVE GATHERING AT CELEBRATION OF HOSPITALS WEEK

HOSPITAL SUNDAY WAS CELEBRATED AT ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL YESTERDAY, THE PREACHER BEING THE HON. DR. P. S. SELWYN-CLARKE, DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES. The service was conducted by the Rev. A. F. Rose and was well attended, many distinguished personalities being present, including Hon. Rear-Admiral and Mrs. A. M. Peters, Sir Atholl and Lady Macgregor, Dr. D. J. Valentine, Deputy Director of Medical Services, Mrs. D. J. Valentine, Hon. Secretary, Auxiliary Nursing Service, the Hon. Dr. Li Shu-fan, Dr. Arthur Woo and Mrs. Woo, Miss S. F. Sutton, Principal Matron, Government Nursing Staff, Mr. Lee Lu-chung, chairman of the Tung Wah Hospital Committee, Mr. E. M. Raymond, Director of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, Officers and Nurses of the Brigade, members of the Auxiliary Nursing Service, officials of the Netherlands Hospital, Prof. Gordon King and many others.

In the course of the service Mr. Rose announced that the Bishop of Hongkong had received a telegram to the effect that the Christian Missionary Society Hospital at Kunming, Yunnan, had been savagely bombed by the Japanese and all the wards, including the out-patients departments and living quarters had been destroyed.

The C.M.S. is planning to erect several new centres for giving medical relief to victims of air raids in Kunming, he said, and made an appeal for funds for the purpose.

### DEAN RETURNING

It was also announced that Dean Wilson, who has been away in Australia for many months, will be back in Hongkong on Tuesday, Oct. 22, and would probably preach at next Sunday's services.

The collections at yesterday's services are for the Alice Memorial Hospital and other affiliated hospitals in the Diocese and as such a part of it will be sent to Kunming for the urgent work to be done there.

### THE ADDRESS

Addressing the congregation, Dr. Selwyn-Clarke said:

Today we are celebrating Hospital Sunday, the nearest Sunday to Saint Luke's Day, on October 18. You may remember that St. Luke is referred to in the New Testament as "Luke, the Beloved Physician." It is understandable that he was early regarded as the patron saint of physicians and of the sick.

He was a Greek, possibly from Macedonia, and from his language and thought was obviously a man of culture. He went with Saint Paul on some of his missionary journeys and to Rome, and was, in fact, with him to the end. Hospital Sunday is observed in order that emphasis may be laid on the Christian doctrine and practice of the care of the sick.

I should like to read the third verse of the ninth chapter of the Gospel according to St. John which clearly negatives the Old Testament view that sickness arises from sin. "Master, who did sin, this man or his parents, that he was born blind?" Jesus answered "neither hath this man sinned nor his parents."

### PROBLEM OF SICKNESS

I think that it is rather important that we should try to study the problem of sickness around us from the correct angle. There is a tendency, sometimes, for less thoughtful people to endeavour to unburden themselves of their responsibilities to humanity by adopting the attitude that it is no business of theirs and, in any case, the majority of those who are sick suffer from preventable conditions which could have been avoided had the sufferer not been so careless or improvident. There are, I know, none here this morning who share this viewpoint.

On the contrary, I have only to look round to see that there are very many present who are actively devoting their lives to care for the sick and needy. On the other hand, there are those beyond the walls of this cathedral who are prone to turn a deaf ear to appeals for personal service in one form or another; and it is my hope and belief that you will do your best to secure a change of heart in such persons.

### KNOWLEDGE IS POWER

Here, in Hongkong, there are a thousand and one ways in which all of us can do our share in bringing about a better state of affairs than exists at present. It is only fair, in the first instance, that we should know what the problem is. Knowledge is power.

To many of you what I have to say may appear trite and you may be just as familiar as myself with the mass of avoidable suffering,

hardship and misery in this otherwise beautiful Colony of ours. To those of you who are already working for humanity, I would apologise and ask for your kind indulgence.

Perhaps I should preface my remarks by making it clear that time permits me to touch but the fringe of the subject. I trust that I may be forgiven for the very inadequate picture which I may be able to present to your minds.

### REFUGEE PROBLEM

First of all, Hongkong has been compelled to absorb, for longer or shorter periods, almost as many refugees from disturbed areas in China as it has normal inhabitants.

There has been no doubling of the accommodation in houses and tenements, no corresponding increase in the amount of employment available, no comparable augmentation in the medical, health and social welfare services.

Instead, while rents for bed spaces and cubicles have risen and overcrowding of tenements has attained alarming proportions, and while the cost of staple foods of the masses has increased by at least 50 per centum in the past two years or so, daily earnings of the bulk of the population have remained stationary or have actually fallen—less scrupulous employers having taken advantage of the surplus labour available amongst the several hundred thousand refugees.

### INEVITABLE RESULT

The inevitable result of this combination of circumstances is that there are more men, women and children sleeping on the street pavements or in insanitary hovels, on roofs of houses and in stairways than ever before.

This situation obtains in spite of the repeated nightly visits of a Medical Department ambulance to collect women and children from the streets and to offer them shelter in the camps erected by the Hongkong Government in its attempt to cope, in a small way at any rate, with the situation.

Then, again, there are many more persons living in the Colony who cannot buy enough food to keep them in reasonable health and to prevent themselves from falling victims to acute infectious diseases like cholera, dysentery, any typhoid or to other illnesses which take longer to kill the sufferer like, for example, tuberculosis, beri beri, pellagra and similar conditions which bear a fairly close resemblance to sheer starvation.

### MASS OVERCROWDING

The foregoing very brief and incomplete description brings me, by logical sequence, to the results of this overcrowding and underfeeding on a mass scale. Needless to say, the victims of this regrettable combination often fall ill and need hospital care, even if only to allow them to die in comparative peace. If all the strenuous efforts of the doctors and nurses ministering to them are insufficient to drag them from the jaws of death.

Those of you who have worked in the Government and Chinese group of public hospitals in Hongkong must surely have been impressed by their sadly overcrowded conditions, whether affecting those actually admitted or those with minor illnesses or wounds who deserve to be admitted but have to be treated as out-patients.

Owing to pressure on space the remainder of the address will be published in our issue tomorrow.

The evening service at St. John's Cathedral yesterday was conducted by the Rev. A. F. Rose, Mr. R. Rees was the preacher. Special prayers were said for the sick in continuation of the Hospital Sunday celebrations.

## ROUND THE POLICE COURTS

### AT CENTRAL

#### SNATCHER GAOLED

Li Yiu, 41, unemployed, was sentenced to six months' hard labour when he pleaded guilty before Mr. Sheldon on Saturday to snatching a handbag from Tung Kwai, 35, woman, in Jaffe Road near Stewart Road at 7.45 p.m. on Oct. 18.

Det.-Sgt. Morrison stated that defendant broke the strap of the bag. Accused was arrested at Tonnochy Road, after he had thrown the bag away.

#### GAOL FOR SNATCHER

Saying that as he had caused considerable pain to the complainant why defendant himself should not suffer some pain, Mr. K.M.A. Barnett imposed sentence of six months' hard labour on Li Wing-on, 18, unemployed, on Saturday.

Li was charged with snatching a pair of earrings from Tse Yuk-ying, 40, married woman at Connaught Road West, on Oct. 11.

It was stated in Court that complainant and her daughter were walking along the road when defendant came up and snatched her earrings. Defendant was chased and was arrested in the Western Market.

#### POSSESSION OF ARMS

On the application of Sub-Inspector Cunningham a remand of 72 hours was granted when Tong Fung-cheung, 33, unemployed was charged before Mr. Barnett on Saturday with possession of one automatic pistol and four rounds of ammunition without a licence on Oct. 17.

#### MURDER CHARGE

Appearing before Mr. O.T. Lowry on Saturday Chan Tai-sau, 46, described as being unemployed, was remanded 72 hours on a charge of murder.

Chan is charged with having murdered a Chinese by the name of Siu Muk on the roof of the Tin Yin Yat Po newspaper firm, situated at the junction of Des Voeux Road Central and Douglas Street on Oct. 9.

Det.-Sub-Inspector J. O'Donovan is in charge of the case.

#### MARKET ASSAULT

When Liu Yat, 34, unlicensed hawk, pleaded guilty to assaulting Fok Mui, 20, woman, at the Lockhart Road Market, about 9.30 p.m. on Oct. 18, Det.-Sgt. Morrison asked Mr. Sheldon to take a serious view of the case as such assaults by market people were getting very common.

In his outline of the case, Sgt. Morrison said that complainant approached defendant's stall to inquire about the price of shrimps. She was told 20 cents a catty, and, picking up a few, was told that the price was ten cents. When she counter-offered seven cents, defendant picked up the shrimps and threw them at her face and mouth. She spat them back at him. Liu then struck complainant on the nose, causing her to fall.

Imposing a fine of \$100, in default two months' hard labour, his Worship told the defendant that it was a very serious matter to assault anyone.

#### GIRL BEATEN

Appearing before Mr. Lowry on Saturday, a 50-year-old widow, Chan Fung-na, of No. 86, Wellington Street, charged with ill-treating a 13-year-old child, was sentenced to two months' hard labour.

Insp. H.W. Fraser, of the S.C.A., who prosecuted, said about 10.30 p.m. on Oct. 12 a police sergeant saw a Chinese girl crying in Caine Road. When approached the girl said that she had been beaten and bruises were found all over her body.

The girl was taken to the Central Police Station and later to Queen Mary Hospital for treatment.

The girl was beaten with a wooden clog and a feather duster because someone snatched 88 cents from her while she was purchasing vegetables in the Western Market.

Defendant stated she scolded the girl because the girl stole some clothing and money from a fellow tenant.

Medical evidence was given by Dr. Vargassoff, of Queen Mary Hospital.

## PLEASURE PARK FOR KOWLOON

### SCHEME AWAITING GOVT. SANCTION

The 24 up-to-date shops built by C. Ingenohl Ltd., in front of their Orient Tobacco Manufactory in Nathan Road will, it is learned from usually reliable sources, soon give way to a block of modern apartment houses with the ground floor reserved for business premises.

#### PLEASURE PARK PLANNED

A syndicate has been formed some time ago to formulate comprehensive plans for taking over the six acres of beautiful lawns, at the rear of the shops, and converting them into an amusement park.

The scheme, it has been divulged, includes the building of a theatre, dance-hall, restaurant and soda-fountain, the ever-popular skating ring, and so forth.

Should official sanction to proceed be obtained, Kowloon residents will have their very own amusement park instead of having to cross the harbour in search of such recreations as the park will provide.

### AT KOWLOON

#### UNLICENSED WIRELESS SET

Kam Kam-tu, 51, wireless operator, charged with possession of wireless apparatus at No. 93, Prince Edward Road without license or permission from competent authority, and Tam Kam-woo, 26, clerk, Wong, Wai, 32, and Chau Wing-pan, 20, salesman, charged with aiding and abetting, appeared before Mr. E. Hims-worth on Saturday and was again remanded until this morning.

The first and third defendants were each allowed \$2,000 bail, while the other two accused were granted \$500 bail.

Another man, Kwok Yu, 25, wireless operator, who was arrested in connection with the offence, was also remanded until this morning. He was granted bail \$2,000.

Mr. M.A. da Silva will appear for the first, second and fourth defendants.

#### JEALOUS HUSBAND FINED

That the complainant was flirting around with his wife was the plea given by Chan Sang, tailor, 28, when charged before Mr. Hims-worth on Saturday with assaulting Sun Tak-shing, 37, coolie.

The complainant was a distant relation of Chan's wife and was a frequent visitor of the family. On the evening of Oct. 18 the complainant went to a show with defendant's wife. When they came back the defendant was so furious that he picked up a chopper and assaulted the complainant, who received injuries to the arm and the back.

The accused was fined \$5 and bound over in the sum of \$5 for six months.

#### WATCHMAN CHARGED

Charged with impersonating a police officer and stealing \$5 from a Chinese, Fan Ming-hing, at Argyle Street on October 19, Ho Tim, 39, watchman, appeared before Mr. Hims-worth on Saturday for a remand of 48 hours in Police custody.

It was stated that the defendant told the complainant that he was a police officer and searched him near the railway station at Argyle Street. He found \$80 Chinese currency and \$35 Hongkong currency on the complainant and took away the latter.

#### SNATCHER GAOLED

So Yiu appeared before Mr. MacLachlan on Saturday on a charge of larceny of a handbag from a woman at the bus stop near the Blue Taxi Cab, Nathan Road, on Oct. 18.

Defendant pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four months' hard labour.

#### MENDICANT BOUND OVER

An 80-year-old woman, Wong Kiu, was charged with begging at Nathan Road on October 18 before Mr. MacLachlan on Saturday.

Remarking that arrangements would be made for her to go into a refugee camp, his Worship bound defendant over in the sum of \$3.

#### BURGLAR SENTENCED

Leung Kwong, 31, was charged before Mr. MacLachlan on Saturday with larceny of 10 yards of electric wire from No. 63, Tai Nam Street.

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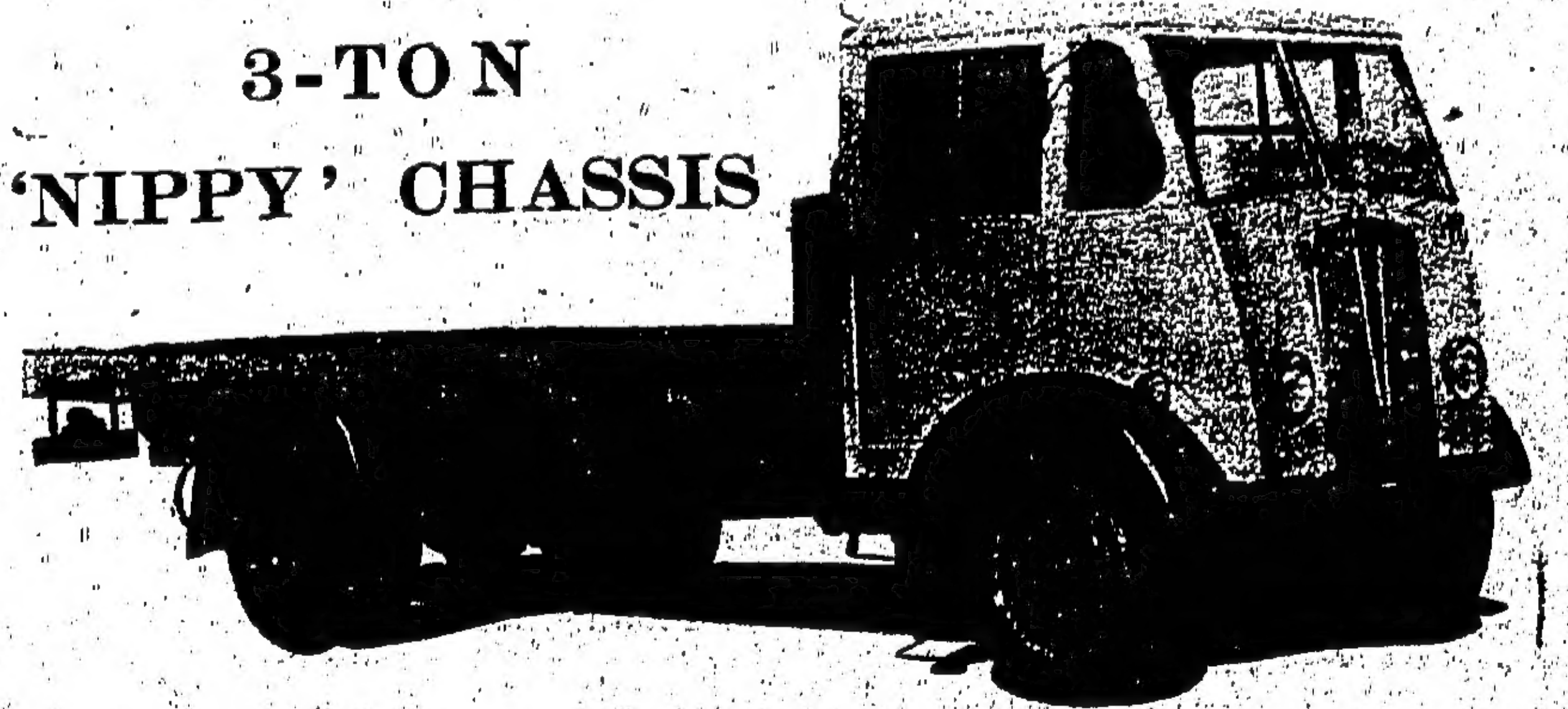
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## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that YSEVOLOD NICOLAEVICH VARGASSOFF of Queen Mary Hospital of Hong Kong is applying to the Governor for naturalisation if that any person who knows any reason why naturalisation should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts to the Colonial Secretary of Hong Kong.

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AIR RAID WARDENS  
CALLED OUT FOR SERVICE

The following members of the Hongkong Corps of Air Raid Wardens have been called out for active service as from Oct. 5, until further orders:

Deputy District Warden P. A. Dixon and Deputy District Warden Lo Chi Ki.

Elating operations to be conducted at all hours of the day or night by Messrs. Marsman Hongkong China, Ltd., in the construction of air raid shelters at Beaconsfield Arcade and at Belcher Street, below the Old Fort, respectively, and by Messrs. Kin Lee & Co., in the construction of air raid precaution tunnels in Kowloon, have been authorised by the Government.

LICENSING BOARD  
SESSIONS

Forty-nine applications will be considered under the Dutiable Commodities Ordinance, 1931, at a meeting of the Licensing Board to be held in the Council Chamber on Nov. 5, at 4 p.m.

All applicants for licences and persons objecting to such applications, must appear in person.

Trade Marks  
Registration

Registration of the following trade marks has been renewed under the provisions of the Trade Marks Ordinance, 1909:

No. 171 of 1927—Dr. W. B. Caldwell, Inc., a corporation organised and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, U.S.A., at 418 West Washington Street, in the city of Monticello, Illinois, U.S.A.

No. 195 of 1927—Gilmann & Co., Ltd., of 4-A, Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong.

No. 39 of 1927—The Cheung Tai Yick Firm, of Fung Toi Street, Tung Koon District, Kwangtung Province, China, and 2nd floor, 138, Des Voeux Road West, Hongkong.

## REGISTRATION EXPIRED

Registration of the following trade marks has expired and will be removed from the Register of Trade Marks on Nov. 18 unless the prescribed fees for renewal are paid before that date:

No. 38 of 1927—Bitzer & Co., of 2, Connaught Road Central, Hongkong; No. 136 of 1927—The Studebaker Corporation, of 831, South Main Street, City of South Bend, County of St. Joseph, Indiana, U.S.A.; No. 158 of 1927—The Export Co., of 18, D'Agulhar Street, Hongkong; Nos. 16 and 17 of 1913—Bettelho Bros., of Alexandra Building, 2nd floor, Hongkong; and No. 52 of 1927—Degea Aktien-gesellschaft (Auergeellschaft), Eerlin O., 17, Rotherstrasse 16-19, Germany.

## PATENT REGISTERED

The following United Kingdom Patent has been registered under the provisions of the United Kingdom Patents Ordinance:

No. 451,075, Oct. 22, 1938—Society of Chemical Industry in Basle, a body corporate organised according to the laws of Switzerland, of Basle, Switzerland.

Nature of Invention—Improved closure for cans or other containers of colour, lacquer or the like.

for an outbreak of war in the Pacific, but as the best method of preventing such a calamity.

ONCE AGAIN, the onus for causing a spread of the war to the Orient must, therefore, rest with Japan. She might still be compelled, in view of her alliance with her Axis partners, to take the initiative and make a rash step which might undo everything that the United States has been doing to prevent such a consequence. In that event, however, America, having cleared her decks with calm and methodical measures, will be confidently able to deal with the emergency. The new Far Eastern policy which the United States had adopted thus stands clear and open. It is a policy which indicates a firm resolve to call any bluff or to accept any challenge to the principles of checking aggression which it embodies. More than that, it is a duty which the American Republic has accepted and which it is determined to put into effect. The aggressor nations cannot be blind to the steadfast resolve which the present policy of the United States portends. Their efforts to make the world believe that President Roosevelt is seeking votes for himself by creating a war scare have failed lamentably by the unanimous manner in which the President's bitterest critics have agreed with the measures taken. In the same way, the attempts made by the totalitarian states to explain Japan's adherence to the Axis Powers as a plan aimed at peace have been totally rejected. The underlying motive in the new pact is one of aggression and it is impossible to detect in it any sign that can give it a purely defensive character, as its proponents have been at pains to point out. The forces of right have thus been reinforced against this fresh offensive and aggressive development, with Britain holding the fortress of democracy and the United States ready to play her part in the common cause.

## CORRESPONDENCE

SEPARATION OF  
MAN & WIFE

To the Editor, Hongkong Daily Press.

Sir,—With reference to the letter appearing in your esteemed paper today, under the heading "Legal aspect of Evacuation", to my mind, it would be far more enlightening if you could obtain legal opinion on the first paragraph of the letter under reference—i.e. can the Government compulsorily separate man and wife when neither of them have committed a criminal offence, nor requested and obtained a separation through the Courts of Justice.

The settlement of this point would automatically, I suggest, settle the evacuation question. If there can be no separation, there can be no evacuation, short of evacuating husbands as well.

There seems no doubt that the "unfortunates" were used by Government as material for propaganda.

Yours, etc.

## "A SEEKER AFTER JUSTICE"

EVACUATION AND  
DISCRIMINATION

To the Editor, Hongkong Daily Press.

Sir,—I am one of those patriotic members of the community who obeyed the evacuation orders for my family and I am disgusted that there are still some women in Hongkong who are dodging evacuation and complaining because they cannot get exemption, when our wives and families who have obeyed orders are not allowed to return.

Some of the higher Government officials and some of the leading members of the community, whose wives' names have not yet even appeared before the Advisory Committee, should set the example by evacuating their families. Unfortunately, some of these members of the community consider themselves by their positions to be above the law. Either every woman who is not registered for a genuine job of work should go without exception or discrimination—or we should be allowed to have our families back. Either this is a voluntary or compulsory Evacuation. If the latter, why are not these women sent away at once at their own expense. I seem to remember hearing on the wireless that those women who did not obey the order, might have to travel at their own expense. I would like to see this done to those members of the Hongkong Community who consider themselves above the law and the rest of the community.

We are fighting for Democracy, but we appear to have a Dictatorship here. This is what is and has been causing so much bitterness in Hongkong.

Enclosing my card.

Yours, etc.

## "PLAY FAIR"

PUBLIC SESSION  
OF EVACUATION  
COMMITTEE

A public session of the Evacuation Advisory Committee will be held tomorrow (Tuesday) at 9 a.m. in the Council Chamber, Colonial Secretariat.

Only the cases of women who have applied to the Committee for a hearing in person and have been requested to attend the meeting will be considered.

URBAN COUNCIL  
MEETING

The following is the agenda for the meeting of the Urban Council to be held tomorrow at 4.15 p.m.:

Letter from Government, relative to the appointment of Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, M.C., to be a member of the Urban Council for a further term of three years.

Correspondence, relative to the proposed provision of flush latrines and urinals in Restaurants and Eating Houses; Correspondence relative to the appointment of Health Inspector E. J. Whitcomb to act under Ordinance 8 of 1935 (Section 2) and as Food Officer under Ordinance 13 of 1935 (Section 2).

Application for addition of the second floor of No. 9, Des Voeux Road West to the existing restaurant licence at No. 9, Des Voeux Road West, ground and first floors; Application for an eating house licence for No. 167, Bulkeley Street, ground floor; Application for a food shop licence for No. 26, Peak Mansion (No. 56, Stubbs Road), ground floor.

Regular Returns.

NINE LECTURES  
ON RELIGIOUS  
EDUCATION

A series of nine lectures on religious education especially suitable for Sunday School teachers have been arranged by the Chinese Y.M.C.A. in Kowloon. The lectures are on the meaning of religious education, educational psychology, how and what to teach in Sunday schools, the organisation and administration of Sunday schools.

Some one hundred and fifty young men and women have already enrolled for these lectures which will commence on Sunday evening, October 20 until November 17. The lectures are given at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. auditorium on Waterloo Road each Sunday evening. Those who are interested are welcome to attend these lectures and discussions.

## "SCHEDULE OF LECTURES"

Oct. 20—The Meaning of Religious Education, Mr. Peter Wong.

Oct. 27—Stimulus and Response, by Mr. Cheng Chen-Huan; How To Be A Good Sunday School Teacher, by Mr. Lee Lin-Chue.

Nov. 3—Child and Adolescent Psychology, by Mr. Cheng Chen-Huan; Teaching Planning of A Sunday School Lesson, by Mr. Lee Lin-Chue.

Nov. 10—Psychology and Health, by Mr. Cheng Chen-Huan; Important Points in the Teaching of Different Grades of A Sunday School, by Mr. Lee Lin-Chue.

Nov. 17—Jesus' Method of Teaching, by Mr. Lee Lin-Chue; Organisation and Administration of A Sunday School by Miss Tong Yuet-Ming.

MORE PROTECTED  
AREAS

The whole area of the Colony—with two exceptions—has been declared a protected place under the Defence Regulations.

A special clause exempts travellers on the Star and Yumail Ferries direct services.

The exempted areas are those within the following bounds:—

(The north shore from Hill Road to the eastern end of Tung Lo Wan Road, Causeway Bay; Tung Lo Wan Road from its eastern end to its junction with Tai Hang Road; Tai Hang Road; Bowen Road; Garden Road between Bowen and Robinson Roads; the eastern end of Robinson Road to Park Road; Park Road; Bonham Road from its junction with Park Road to Hill Road; Hill Road; The shore line from Cheung Wah Street, Cheung Sha Wan, to Blackhead Point, Tsim Sha Tsui; Castle Peak Road from Cheung Wah Street to Tai Po Road; Tai Po Road from Castle Peak Road to Boundary Street; Boundary Street from Tai Po Road to the Kowloon-Canton Railway bridge; eastern side of the Kowloon-Canton Railway from Boundary Street to Cornwall Street; Cornwall Street; Waterloo Road from Cornwall Street to Boundary Street; Boundary Street from Waterloo Road to Gramplan Road; Gramplan Road; Carpenter Road from Gramplan Road to Kak Hang Tsun Road; Kak Hang Tsun Road; Prince Edward Road from Kak Hang Tsun Road to Tam Kung Road; Tam Kung Road; Ma Tau Wei Road from Tam Kung Road to Chatham Road; Chatham Road.

His Majesty the King has not been advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to Ordinance No. 22 of 1940—An Ordinance to amend the Post Office Ordinance, 1928.

Mr. C. C. Petrovsky, M.B., B.S. (H.K.) and Mr. Tai Hon-sham, M.B., Ch.B. (Edin.) have been appointed to be Inspectors of Schools with effect from Oct. 1 and 3, respectively.

Prof. R. C. Robertson will give a lecture on "Pathological Aspects of Chemical Warfare," in Room K, Hongkong University, on Friday, at 8.30 p.m. The lecture will be illustrated by lantern slides.

The name of Dr. Daphne Chun, M.B., B.S., Hongkong, to Tsan Yui Hospital, has been added to the Register of Medical Practitioners entitled to practise Medicine in the Colony.

Mr. Julius Ring, assessor, and Mr. Norman James Perrin have been appointed to act under regulation 60 of the Defence Regulations, which relates to the provision of accommodation for persons who may require it in certain conditions.

Under the auspices of the Hongkong Branch of the Sino-British Cultural Association an exhibition of oil paintings by Professor R. Cecil Robertson was concluded on Saturday at the Fung Ping Shan Library, Bonham Road.

The Rev. Fr. R. Harris, S. J., preached the sermon.

ST. MARGARET MARY  
ALACOQUE FEAST

The congregation of St. Margaret Mary's Church, Happy Valley, celebrated the day of their patron saint, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, yesterday. Nearly 1,000 persons joined in the religious procession round the Valley district.

The faithful reassembled in the Church when the Benediction was pronounced.

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## THE WEATHER

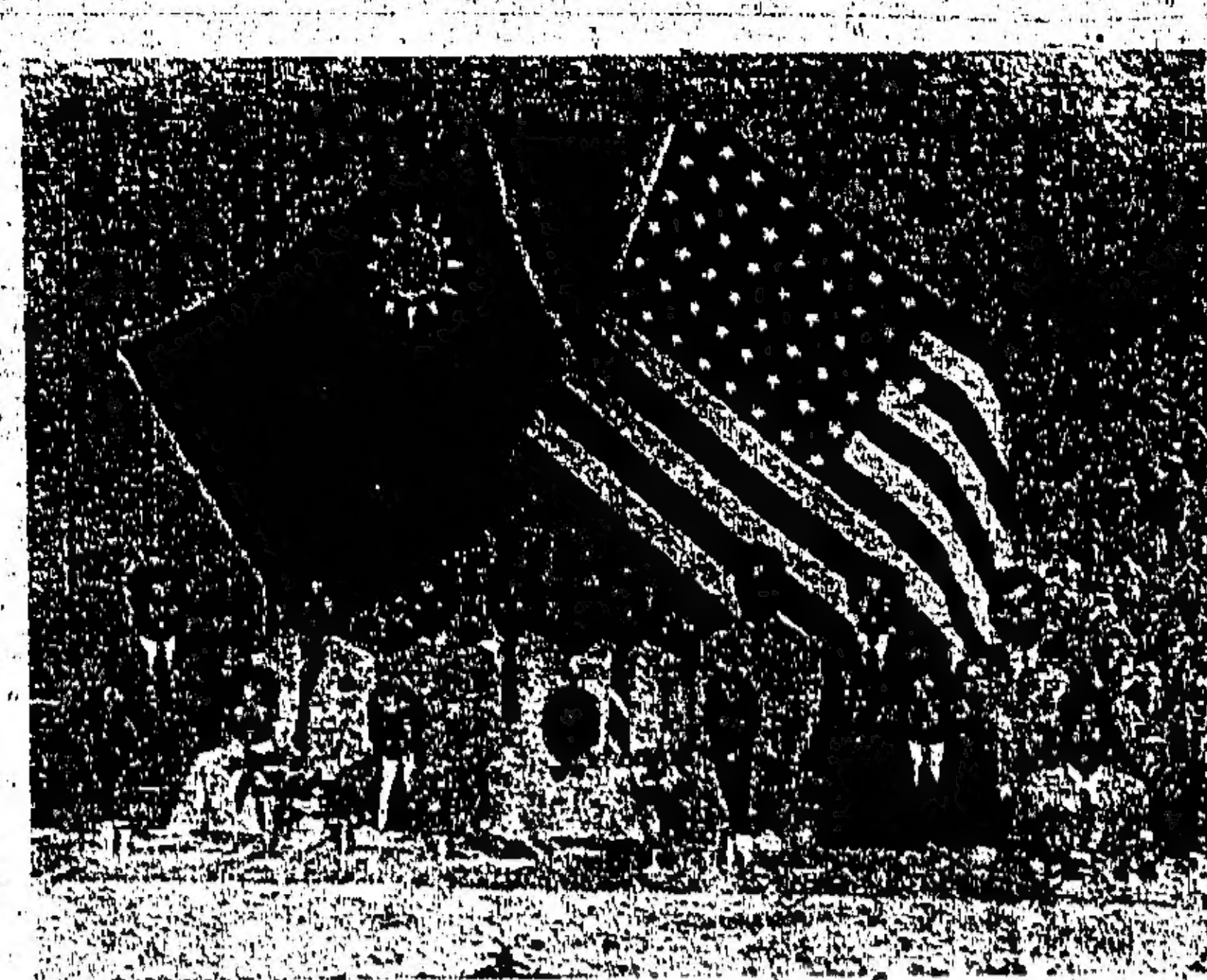
The maximum temperature yesterday was 88° and the minimum 77°.

Total rainfall since Jan. 1 is 113.03 inches against an average of 81.14.

The Royal Observatory report states:—

A weak anticyclone covers Mongolia and Manchuria, and is spreading slowly southward.

The depression is situated about 50 miles to the south of Kago-shima, moving E.N.E.



Picture taken at the tea party held on Friday in honour of the American Red Cross Relief Workers. Report on Page 5. —(King's Studio).

## NEWSETTES

Dr. Frederick Bunje has been appointed to be an unofficial Justice of the Peace for the Colony of Hongkong.

Mr. Karsten Larssen, Consul for Denmark, Hongkong, resumed Charge of the Danish Consulate on Oct. 15.

Mr. Ng Hong-su has been appointed to be an Assistant Inspector of Labour, Factories and Workshops, with effect from Oct. 11.

The appointment of Miss May Wong to act as a Public Vaccinator, has been cancelled with effect from Oct. 1.

Mr. William Turner has been permitted to quit the Hongkong Defence Reserve, with effect from Oct. 8.

The War Taxation Department, which has been closed from Saturday last, will resume business tomorrow at Windsor House, 4th floor.

"Chinese Legends" was the subject of a talk at the Discussion Group of the Y.M.C.A. last night. The speaker was Mr. Walter C. Clark.

Lieut.-Comdr. Lawrence Lionel Tollemache, R.N. (Retired) has been appointed to be a member of the Compulsory Service Tribunal in place of Comdr. William Patrick McCarthy, R.N.

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On the application of Mr. K. F. Newman, counsel for petitioner Judge Sir Allan G. Mossop in H. M. Supreme Court, Shanghai, on Oct. 14, granted a decree absolute to Mrs. Maria Judah, who sought a dissolution of her marriage to Mr. Joseph Edward Judah, who was unrepresented.

The Provincial Bank of Szechuen has been added to the Chinese Banks which are permitted to sell Chinese currency and to remit money to China, subject to such limits and on such conditions as have been notified to the bank.

Gestapo Very  
Active In  
Poland

LONDON, Oct. 20 (Reuter)—The Gestapo is very active in Poland trying to stop the people from listening to news bulletins in Polish from London, according to Polish circles in London.

German newspapers in the occupied territory publish every day reports of sentences imposed by special tribunals on Poles who listen in to London and pass on whatever they hear.

A village factory worker, especially detailed by his workmates to do this, was caught and sentenced to two years and three months' imprisonment, according to the *Litzmannstaedter Zeitung* published in Lodz.

## HIMMLER IN BURGOS

MADRID, Oct. 20 (Reuter)—Herr Himmler, the Nazi Gestapo chief, arrived in Burgos yesterday afternoon, accompanied by General Sagardia, chief of the Army Spanish Police.

They were welcomed by the Mayor.

## POLICE REPORTS

Mrs. Rodriguez, of 2 Sai Yeung Choi Street, has reported that some person stole clothing, valued at \$3, from the backyard of her house, on Friday.

Miss Dover, residing at the Bellevue Hotel, had jewellery to the value of \$147 stolen from her room on Oct. 18.

A fire broke out at Pak Hing Street, Tai-O village at midnight of Oct. 17-18 and completely gutted premises occupied by the Chau Wai Kee shop, Lee On Rattan-ware store, and the Yan Hing store. Total damage was estimated at about \$3,000. No person was injured.

Police are investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of a man whose body was found, under some sandbags, by street urchins playing outside the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs Building on Saturday night.

Miss L. Sequeira, of No. 9, Soares Avenue, has reported to the Police that a person entered her bedroom last night and stole a purse, containing \$11.50.

An unknown Chinese male jumped from the first floor of the Wan Loi teahouse, Shanghai Street, yesterday afternoon and was killed.

Li Yau-ching, boy, aged 10, was knocked down yesterday by a cyclist in Fa Yuen Street, and sustained head injuries. He was removed to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

Wing-Comdr. A. H. Steele-Perrins, Director of Air Raid Precautions, will address the Hongkong Rotary Club tomorrow on "A Trip to Chungking." The speaker on the following Tuesday, Oct. 23, will be Prof. Winifred Cullis, C.B.E., M.A., D.Sc., whose subject will be "Industrial Fatigue."

The death occurred on Oct. 11, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, of Mr. Nicolai Esfovitch Melnikenko, aged 28 years of Mollers Limited. Funeral services were held on October 15 at the Russian Orthodox Mission Church, 55, Rue Paul Henry, and was followed by interment at the Lokawei Cemetery.



# Withering Bombardment By R.A.F. Stopped Invasion Attempt On Sept. 16: Hundreds Of Barges Sunk

LONDON, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The NEW YORK SUN declared yesterday that on Sept. 16, the date the invasion was to start, hundreds of flat-bottomed barges each containing 200 men were sunk under a withering bombardment by the R.A.F.

The paper says that the barges were some way across the Channel and their retreat was cut off by the Royal Navy which took them in the rear and completed the slaughter.

## Change Of Tactics

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heavy, but would be less accurate than bombing by specialised bombers.

"The Germans are also using the Messerschmitt 110," continued Mr. Stewart. "This machine is in a slightly better position for bombing than the smaller Messerschmitt, but it still remains true that it is still primarily a fighter and cannot get accuracy or carry the same load as a Heinkel."

"It is a fundamental fact that the most efficient fighter or bomber must be specialised machines. So that though these fighter formations have succeeded in reducing their losses, it is at the cost of their striking power."

### DIFFICULT TO CATCH

"They come over, flying very high, and very fast and are extraordinarily difficult to catch. It is difficult to spot them when the visibility is poor and when they are spotted, they just drop their bombs and make off."

"It must be emphasised," declared Mr. Stewart, "that by making the German use fighters for bombing, our defences have already achieved part of their object—they have drastically reduced the weight of the bombs dropped on the country."

"Night attack is a different matter," went on Mr. Stewart. "The Germans, when they decided that it was dangerous to send their bombers by day, resorted to night raids and as a result they have not lost as heavily as they did in September. But recognition of targets, especially in England with its winding roads and hills, is most difficult."

"The Germans realise, from their own experiences, that the chances of their pilots finding important military targets, which are all camouflaged, are very small. So they select easy targets. That is why London has been receiving such heavy raids and are the results of the victories which the R.A.F. have scored over the German air force in their day raids."

### DIVERTING ATTACKS

"During winter we cannot expect the bombing attacks to be reduced," said Mr. Stewart, "and our attitude to that is that when London is being bombed and buildings demolished, other targets of importance are being left alone. So that London is, indeed, fighting—it is diverting attacks on itself and so keeping places, where our war efforts are going on, safe."

"Many methods have been suggested for defeating the night raider, but no full protection is possible. There is always a form of defence and we will use it just as soon as it is found and when we have found it we will be able to increase the German losses at night."

"They will then be forced to change their tactics again, but it is impossible to suggest that there will be a reduction in these attacks now. There must be the time when the people who live in our large cities should receive all the protection possible from our administrators."

### LARGER SCALE

LONDON, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The German air offensive last night was on a somewhat larger scale than on the recent nights and was at its height in the early hours of darkness when three attacks were in progress against London, the Midlands and north-western towns.

The official communique recounting the night's events says that the attacks against the Midlands and north-western towns ceased at midnight but the attack against London continued throughout the night except for a short period in the early hours of this morning.

Many high explosives and incendiary bombs were dropped over a widespread area in London and the suburbs damaging a large number of houses and other buildings and causing many fires. The fires, however, were soon extinguished. A number of people

It is estimated that some 50,000 men were either killed, wounded or drowned.

The NEW YORK TIMES says that the report is confirmed by impartial witnesses.

The official delay in revealing the attempted invasion of Britain on September 16 can only be interpreted as meaning that the hour has not yet arrived for self-congratulation on anybody's part, that the danger of complacency must be avoided at all costs and that the task ahead must absorb all British attention, writes Reuter's Military correspondent in London.

There are three obvious policies and three ways of winning the war and the first is to regard the Battle for Britain as the main German effort and defend the fortress by a supreme effort whatever may be happening elsewhere.

The second is to wage amphibious warfare against the vulnerable points on the enemy's long coastline from Narvik to Spain.

The third course is to regard everything as a sideshow except the campaign in North Africa for the defence of Egypt and the East.

Each of these policies claims ardent supporters. London dwellers are naturally influenced by the immediate problem of its defence and would increase all measures for that purpose.

### CONTINUAL SURPRISE

The policy of amphibious war, in giving the enemy no rest and keeping him in a state of continual surprise, is based upon a theory exploiting the invaluable asset of sea power.

As was proved at Cherbourg, the Navy and the R.A.F. can attack almost anywhere they choose and it might even be possible to land mechanised troops in co-operation to make extensive raids without necessarily occupying enemy territory for more than a short space.

This spearhead policy has many advocates. It confers the initiative on the Navy whereas static defence leaves the initiative with the enemy.

### FUTURE ACTION

The third policy—the defence of the Middle East—depends to some extent upon future enemy action. The initiative must rest in Marshal Grazian's hands if only because of the avowed objective of the Italians to invade Egypt.

It is probably not the British intention to invade Libya although successful and well-timed attacks might produce that effect. The defence of Egypt is of such primary importance that whatever may happen nearer home is not likely to influence the British effort there.

Winter's approach may enable them to be killed and injured in these attacks.

The attacks on the Midlands were mainly directed against one town where a few fires were started and a number of houses, shops and business premises were damaged while a small number of people were killed and injured.

On the Merseyside and a few towns in that area only slight damage was caused and a few casualties suffered.

Other widely separated points in England and Wales were also bombed but little damage resulted and a very small number of people were killed and injured.

During the daylight raid on Saturday German air activity over Britain was not on a large scale, though in the morning a few isolated aircraft dropped a small number of bombs in Kent.

Early yesterday morning a lone German raider surprised many people by dropping bombs in the streets, states a Daventry news bulletin. People flung themselves on the ground and the bombs wrecked some buildings. Rescue work was going on.

### NOT MUCH FAITH

The Germans have not much faith in the winter keeping the British bombers away states a Daventry news bulletin.

Many thousands of children are leaving Berlin for Poland, Austria and Czechoslovakia.

the Navy to carry out all the three policies simultaneously. Bad weather will help in the defence of Britain by assisting the defenders to conceal vital targets but it will not deter the Navy and the R.A.F. from operations like Cherbourg.

### BATTLE FOR AFRICA

The Battle for Africa, when it comes, is bound to be one of the most decisive in the world. Events have gone too far for it to be avoided by either side.

In the meantime the Navy, Army and Air Force are expanding behind the veil of secrecy but when the veil is lifted even Britain will be astonished at her great strength.

## VITAL ROLE OF U.S. IS STRESSED

### PUBLIC OPINION CHANGED

LONDON, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The vital role of the United States was stressed by the DAILY TELEGRAPH in a leading article yesterday.

After referring to the recent message of Lord Lothian to the Association of American Industrialists at Boston, in which he emphasised the need for co-operation in the war effort between Great Britain and the United States, the paper says: "American opinion has undergone a notable change in the past few months."

"After the French collapse our own position was looked on by most American sympathisers as being desperate. Today, the situation is exactly reversed."

"A vast expansion of aeroplane production is the purpose of such measures, a picture in which the possible sale of a score or so of special type bomber does not figure prominently."

"American optimists need only to have their eyes opened to the truth and their support of our cause will assuredly step at nothing when the necessities of our common front are realised."

## British Batteries Pound French Ports Heavily

BRITISH BATTERIES ON THE CHANNEL COAST OPENED UP JUST BEFORE NOON YESTERDAY ON THE FRENCH PORTS in what is described as the biggest attack made yet, stated a news bulletin from Daventry last night. The German occupied ports are stated to have received a very severe battering.

British naval aircraft successfully attack Tromberg, in Norway, well within the Arctic circle, when a supply ship was said to have been damaged and several hits registered on docks and warehouses. One British aircraft is missing, but the crew are known to be safe.

Salvo after salvo hurtled across the Straits of Dover in the bright sunlight. German guns replied and shells fell in Dover.

### STILL FIRING

Reuter adds British guns were still firing across the Straits of Dover 40 minutes after the first salvo. The terrific noise increased when German guns on the French coast began to reply and anti-aircraft guns in the Dover area fired at a German aeroplane trying to spot gun positions.

## TWO SOVIET NOTES TO BERLIN REGARDING BALKAN MOVES

BUCHAREST, OCT. 20 (REUTER).—THE SOVIET UNION HAS SENT TWO NOTES TO BERLIN WITH REGARD TO THE RECENT GERMAN MOVES IN THE BALKANS, according to unconfirmed reports current in political circles here where the German-Russian relations are now the chief topic of conversation.

It is stated here that the first Note reminded Germany that South-Eastern Europe had been recognised as a German economic hinterland but not a political one.

Germany is said to have replied that she was obliged to take certain military measures to guarantee the fulfilment of south-eastern Europe's economic obligations to the Reich because indications are that Britain was preparing to attack these regions.

### REAL PURPOSE SOUGHT

In the second Note, Moscow, according to these reports, asked what was the real purpose of the German military penetration and

## FIRST CHEAP TRIUMPH

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A Rumanian statesman is reported to have described the Nazi invasion as a swarm of locusts. In Rumania itself Nazi officers are often seen out in multi, owing to the hostile attitude of the people towards the invaders. Even some of the Iron Guard members are stated to have denounced their fellow Iron Guards for having permitted their country to pass into German hands.

### RISE IN COSTS

An outcry has started in the Rumanian Press at the rapidly rising costs of living. Clothing is reported to have risen 200 per cent. The main industrial activity is the munitions industry, in which the Nazis have already secured an interest.

### "FANTASTIC" REPORTS

BUCHAREST, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—Reports of the transport of German submarines to Constanza were denied yesterday.

The semi-official Rumanian News Agency also describes as "fantastic" the reports that German bomber squadrons had arrived in Galatz and a German naval base was to be established on the Black Sea.

### FORAGING EXPEDITION

BUCHAREST, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The German descent upon Rumania still has the nature of a foraging expedition rather than a military occupation.

The German Staff officers and soldiers appear to be as much engaged in seeking out the best restaurants as in finding strategic gun emplacements.

Political circles here are inclined to believe that the initial impressive display of German mechanised strength was aimed more at protecting the Iron Guard regime from internal political opposition or Army disaffection than safeguarding the frontiers.

### SINISTER STRIKES

BUCHAREST, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The sinister strikes threatening to involve 40,000 miners and several thousand other workers has now passed the point of climax.

The premonitory rumbling of unrest appeared at Salgotarjan last week when miners demanded wage increases up to 50 per cent, which concessions the Government was prepared to meet to compensate for the upward trend in the cost of living.

Then there appeared indications that the strike, which later spread to other mines, was closely linked with fifth column activities of the Nazi-inspired Hungarian Arrow Cross Party.

## CHIANG DETERMINED TO KEEP OPEN BURMA ROAD AT ALL COSTS: EXTRAORDINARY PRECAUTIONS

CHUNGKING, OCT. 20 (REUTER).—GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK IS DETERMINED TO KEEP OPEN THE BURMA ROAD AT ALL COSTS. He has already taken extraordinary precautions against the effects of Japanese air attacks. Anti-aircraft batteries have been installed and vast supplies of road construction and building material are stored at vital points, and repair gangs are standing by throughout the length of the road.

## INTERNATIONAL BOWLS SHIELD

### Philippines, India Ireland Win

India beat Portugal by 17 shots to 12 in the first round of the Gutierrez International Shield competition at the Kowloon Football Club yesterday. The Philippines beat China, last year's conquerors of Portugal, by 33 shots to 18, while Ireland disposed of Malaya by 26 shots to 20.

### The results:

India: A. H. Rumjahn, A. M. Rumjahn, K. M. Omar and U. M. Omar (skip) beat Portugal: J. A. Luz, R. F. Luz, F. V. V. Ribeiro and C. G. Silva (skip) 17-12.

Philippines: H. A. Castro, A. E. H. Castro, V. N. Atienza and R. Basa (skip) beat China: Y. H. Tang, S. C. Wongs, W. Hong Sling and J. Pau (skip) 33-18.

Ireland: C. Dowman, A. W. Wright, T. Lockhart and W. V. Field (skip) beat Malaya: M. A. Wahab, S. Yusuf, A. Bakar and M. R. Abbas (skip) 26-20.

### SECOND ROUND

Following is the draw for the Second Round which will be played next Sunday at Craighower:

England v. Wales  
Ireland v. Switzerland  
Scotland v. India  
Philippines v. Australia.

### VOLUNTEERS TOURNEY

Seven matches in the preliminary rounds of the Volunteers Bowls Knock-Out Tournament for the China Mail Cup were also played yesterday:

### The results:

At Kowloon Cricket Club, Field Ambulance "B": Pte. W. Higgs, Pte. A. Roza, Sgt. R. Leigh and Sgt. A. Steven (skip) beat 2nd Battery "A": B. S. M. Rose, Sgt. Lloyd, Sgt. Carr and Sgt. Sherriff (skip) 18-16.

Sherriff led 16-11 on the 18th head, but his opponent finished with 3-3-1.

1st Battery "A": Gnr. Morrison, Gnr. Carr, Bdr. Bickford and Capt. Watson (skip) beat No. 2 Coy. "A": Pte. Oull, Pte. McKee, L/c. Gillies and Pte. Bouvard (skip) 19-18.

At Kowloon Bowling Green Club, Field Engineers "A": L/c. L. Sykes, Capt. Bottomley, Cpl. J. L. Stephens and C.Q.M.S. A. Spary (skip) beat Stanley Platoon "B": Pte. W. Webber, Pte. R. Gridley, Pte. J. McCutcheon and Pte. A. Jillett (skip) 23-12.

Stanley Platoon "B": Pte. S. H. Hodge, Pte. S. H. Marvin, Lt. J. W. FitzGerald and Sgt. W. J. Bagley (skip) beat No. 2 Coy. "B": L/c. Connolly, Pte. Musker, Cpl. Hillon and Sgt. Stainton (skip) 24-12.

At Club de Recreio, 1st Battery "B": Gnr. Lockhart, Gnr. Stone, Gnr. Clemow and Sgt. L. Jack (skip) beat No. 2 Coy. "D": Pte. R. Lapsley, P/M. Mackie, Pte. Macmaster and Pte. Revie (skip) 24-23.

Field Engineers "C": Spr. A. M. Calman, Spr. J. G. Ozorio, L/c. R. Lapsley and Spr. R. Morrison (skip) beat Field Ambulance "A": Pte. A. F. Noronha, L/c. J. A. Remedios, Pte. A. Rumjahn and Lt. A. M. Rodriguez (skip) 24-14.

## BODYGUARD FOR QUISLING

A message from Sweden states that reports from Oslo announce that the Quisling always goes about with a bodyguard and that German soldiers are constantly clashing with the students who are always helped to get away by the people.

According to reports received here, Chinese engineers and workmen, formerly employed by the Canton-Kowloon Railway, have been ordered to take up duty on the road, and are already on their way from Hongkong to Rangoon.

Less than twelve hours after the road was reopened Japanese pilots made their first swoop. Thirty-six warplanes bombed the road at various points, says a Kunning message, after a reconnoitring flight on the previous day.

Japanese planes, operating from new bases in French Indo-China, also subjected the terminus of the Burma Road and other cities in Yunnan province to heavy attack. Altogether 52 Japanese planes, it was estimated, participated in the raids on Yunnan yesterday. Kichu, on the Indo-China railway, was also bombed.

Mr. Tsiang Ting-fu, former Ambassador to Moscow and now Director of the Political Affairs Bureau of the Chinese Cabinet, declared the Burma Road will stand forever not only as a physical link but also as a spiritual bond between all declared in a broadcast today, "The democratic countries."

### JAPAN'S ANXIETY

TOKYO, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—"It would appear that the Soviet Union does not altogether approve of Japan's pact with the Axis," declares the influential ASAHI SHIMBUN in a leading article reflecting Japan's anxiety over the talks between the United States and Soviet Russia. The Japanese people are warned in the article to take serious heed of what is afoot.

The United States, it says, is trying strenuously to bring Moscow into the orbit of Anglo-American bloc. Some progress is believed to have been made by the United States granting permission for exportation of machine tools and allowing the Soviets to charter tankers to take oil to Vladivostok.

### WOULD NOT DARE

CHUNGKING, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—Despite the Japanese threat of an attack on Hongkong and Chinese interest in American naval movements, well-informed quarters here do not expect an immediate crisis in the Pacific believing that Japan would not dare attack either Britain or the United States in the Pacific.

### INDIAN ACTION

TOKYO, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The Indian Government has suspended the issue of further licences for the export of scrap iron and steel to Japan, states a semi-official Japanese report.

### "YES" IS ANSWER

NEW YORK, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—Ninety per cent, answered "yes" to the call-up Poll question "Should the Government forbid the sale of arms, aeroplanes, gasoline and other war material to Japan."

### SHARP FIGHTING

Dedared a news bulletin from Daventry last night quoted a Chungking report which says that

there was sharp fighting between Japanese and Chinese troops on the China-Burma frontier and that the Chinese have entered Lunghong, which had been previously held by the Japanese.

A change in Japanese Generalissimo in South China is also reported. General Ando has been transferred to the General Staff and his place has been taken by General Ushirogo.



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## RACING RESULTS

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Craven); Flying Dutchman, 152 (P. P. Botelho); Franklin, 151 (L. B. Chao); Triumphant Day, 149 (S. L. Sung); Vixen Tor, 148 (T. W. Chattey).

Betting	Win. Place
A Great Time .....	359 481
Cockleol .....	25 19
Contact .....	812 505
Criffel .....	252 307
Fair Chance .....	308 201
Flying Dutchman .....	38 42
Franklin .....	339 244
Income Tax .....	63 59
Springhurst .....	2522 2549
Triumphant Day .....	37 59
Vixen Tor .....	52 112
	4905 4578

## RACE THREE

From the rise of the barrier to the Rock it appeared as if Tarzan had the first prize money nicely tied up as it was, at least, three lengths ahead of Quick Despatch and Winnie.

After passing the Rock Winnie parted company with Quick Despatch and started creeping up on the leader which it overhauled on entering the straight.

In the home run Winnie increased her lead to win by five lengths from the much fancied Tarzan, with the favourite, Quick Despatch, another two lengths behind. Colorado Star, the third favourite, was fourth.

3.—Werrabee Handicap—From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 151 Yards) Mr. S. W. Lee's Winnie, 140 lbs. (Mr. Chiu Ki-fan) 1

Mr. P. M. Hoo's Tarzan, 137 lbs. (Mr. Hoo Pak-ming) 2

Mr. Kwok Hin Wang's Quick Despatch, 148 lbs. (Mr. G. W. Cooper) 3

Won by five lengths, two lengths between second and third.

Time: 2:00.3. Pari Mutuel:— Winner: \$35.50.

Places: \$7.30, \$7.00, \$6.10. Also ran: Colorado Star, 140 lbs. (F. A. Sequeira); Forehand Drive, 142 (S. W. Lee); Lovely Kid, 135 (T. C. Yuen); Nancy Lee, 135 (Hoo Hong-ping); Pumelo, 135 (Yeung Wing-sing); Sea Urchin, 135 (R. K. C. Chui).

Betting	Win. Place
Colorado Star .....	836 706
Forehand Drive .....	151 147
Lovely Kid .....	87 93
Nancy Lee .....	192 189
Pumelo .....	124 117
Quick Despatch .....	1752 1586
Sea Urchin .....	276 290
Tarzan .....	1013 818
Winnie .....	629 704
	5080 4650

## RACE FOUR

After taking the lead early in the race Jobber began to fade out of the picture when the Black Rock was reached.

Coming down the incline Galaxy took the lead from Jobber, followed by Red Feather and Rose Emily, with Avon fifth.

Rounding the bend into the straight Don Black urged his mount forward and Avon, responding gamely, passed the leaders to win by a length and a half from Galaxy (third favourite). Rose Emily (second favourite) was third, with the favourite, Red Feather, fourth.

4.—Wyndham Handicap—"B" Class (One and a Quarter Miles) Mr. Grayburn's Avon, 145 lbs. (Mr. Black) 1

Mr. Chan K's Galaxy, 146 lbs. (Mr. Tao) 2

Mr. Eu Tong Sen's Rose Emily, 151 lbs. (Mr. Poy) 3

Won by length and a half, four lengths between second and third. Time: 2:28.

Pari Mutuel:— Winner: \$53.00. Places: \$13.00, \$9.20, \$7.70.

Also ran: Bear Claw, 156 lbs. (G. Treverton); Half-Moon Eve, 151 (S. W. Pan); Humdrum Eve, 144 (H. C. Pih); Jobber, 147 (L. B. Chao); Lilliber, 156 (Yeung Wing-kwai); Red Feather, 152 (P. Y. T. Wei).

Betting	Win. Place
Avon .....	642 527
Bear Claw .....	147 119
Galaxy .....	1653 985
Half-Moon Eve .....	59 46
Humdrum Eve .....	2721 562
Jobber .....	788 670
Lilliber .....	64 66
Red Feather .....	1965 1773
Rose Emily .....	1063 1565
	7722 6342

## RACE FIVE

Getting off to a good start, Lancashire Chips, the favourite, led the field followed by Vanity Fair and Courting Eve.

On passing the Rock the leader was overhauled by Vanity Fair and Ascot Day, with Courting Eve fourth and fast weakening.

From the straight to the winning post it was a battle between Vanity Fair and Ascot Day, with Lancashire Chips a couple of lengths behind.

When passing the Stands Vanity Fair gave a final spurt to run in winner's short head in front of Ascot Day with Lancashire Chips third, and Viceroy fourth.

Immediately after the race a protest was lodged against Vanity Fair for boring and bumping. This protest was sustained by the Stewards after an inquiry was held.

Vanity Fair was disqualified and the official result of the race was

1st—Ascot Day  
2nd—Lancashire Chips  
3rd—Viceroy

5.—Moore Park Handicap—"A" Class (Six Furlongs) Mr. Chole's Vanity Fair, 145 lbs. (Mr. Ip Kui-ying) 1

Dr. S. N. Chan's Ascot Day, 149 lbs. (Mr. Hearne) 2

Mrs. Taggart's Lancashire Chips, 155 lbs. (Mr. Wei) 3

Won by short head, two lengths between second and third. Time: 1:17.1.

Pari Mutuel:— Winner: \$193.50. Places: \$37.20, \$18.60, \$7.10.

Also ran: Connleber, 150 lbs. (L. B. Chao); Courting Eve, 165 (H. C. Pih); Devonian, 135 (G. Treverton); Many Thanks, 151 (W. H. S. Davis); Melody Star, 137 (D. H. S. Craven); Tornado Star, 143 (B. A. Proulx); Viceroy, 160 (D. Black).

Betting	Win. Place
Ascot Day .....	472 378
Connleber .....	329 158
Courting Eve .....	944 470
Devonian .....	196 149
Lancashire Chips .....	2191 2115
Many Thanks .....	977 524
Melody Star .....	245 159
Tornado Star .....	50 82
Vanity Fair .....	168 136
Viceroy .....	1767 1794
	7369 5963

## RACE SIX

Centre Court took the lead from the rise of the barrier to the home run when it was overhauled by Cheerful Star.

Coming down the straight Billy Poy urged the highly fancied Piccadilly Jim forward but was only able to secure second position, two lengths behind Cheerful Star. Centre Court collected the third prize money, while Shuttlecock, the second favourite, was fourth.

6.—Ballarat Handicap—"C" Class (One and a Quarter Miles) Mr. E. S. Ko's Cheerful Star, 150 lbs. (Mr. Tao) 1

Mr. Winner's Piccadilly Jim, 158 lbs. (Mr. Poy) 2

Mr. T. K. L.'s Centre Court, 160 lbs. (Mr. Sung) 3

Won by two lengths, length and a half between second and third. Time: 2:17.3.

Pari Mutuel:— Winner: \$45.90. Places: \$15.40, \$7.30, \$19.40.

Also ran: A Green Time, 162 lbs. (P. Y. T. Wei); Amber II, 135 (S. W. Pan); Bredon, 150 (T. W. Chattey); Longdon, 142 (K. I. Ip); Shuttlecock, 157 (H. A. Hearne); Spring Shine, 152 (H. S. Chang); Strathcarrick, 135 (G. Treverton); Surprise Again, 130 (Chiu Ki-fan); Twilight Star, 147 (S. W. Tang).

Betting	Win. Place
A Green Time .....	620 546
Amber II .....	298 189
Bredon .....	249 165
Centre Court .....	475 278
Cheerful Star .....	663 388
Longdon .....	86 56
Piccadilly Jim .....	2008 1726
Shuttlecock .....	1566 1432
Spring Shine .....	329 226
Strathcarrick .....	279 229
Surprise Again .....	118 85
Twilight Star .....	212 125
	6901 5445

## RACE SEVEN

Punters made no mistake when they put their cash on Brown Derby for, though hemmed in during most of the run, Don Black piloted his mount to an eventual dead heat with Pumpernickel.

On the rise of the barrier Pumpernickel, third favourite, went to the front followed by A Roaring Time (second favourite) and Sea Jay, with Brown Derby among the rest of the field.

This order was maintained up to the Rock when Sea Jay began to fall out of the race.

Coming into the straight Brown Derby came up with a terrific

burst of speed to pass A Roaring Time when near the Stands. When a hundred yards from the winning post it drew level with, but could not pass, Pumpernickel. Both ponies passed the Judges box at the same time, followed by A Roaring Time two lengths behind. Sea Jay was fourth.

7.—Nullah Nullah Handicap—"B" Class (One Mile) Mr. Cocca's Brown Derby, 147 lbs. (Mr. Black) 1

Mr. Jessen's Pumpernickel, 148 lbs. (Mr. Proulx) 2

Mr. Li Shiu Hang's A Roaring Time, 157 lbs. (Mr. Wei) 3

Dead-heat, two lengths between second and third. Time: 1:48.4.

Pari Mutuel:— Winners: \$8.20 (Brown Derby); \$16.40 (Pumpernickel).

Places: \$5.80, \$8.70, \$8.20.

Also ran: Annabella, 130 lbs. (Hoo Pak-ming); Bruno, 145 (G. Treverton); Derby Day, 159 (H. J. A. Hearne); Double Finesse, 156 (S. W. Pan); Happy Landings, 145 (W. H. S. Davis); Sea Jay, 155 (D. H. S. Craven); Winfred, 125 (H. C. Pih).

Betting	Win. Place
Annabella .....	145 82
A Roaring Time .....	1945 1309
Brown Derby .....	2893 2173
Bruno .....	230 143
Derby Day .....	291 178
Double Finesse .....	141 78
Happy Landings .....	638 407
Pumpernickel .....	803 427
Sea Jay .....	515 251
Winfred .....	777 468
	8351 5526



Our candid camera at a Ryn bows match on the U.S.R.C. green.

## CHAMPIONSHIP SWEEPSTAKES

## Saturday's Yachting Results

The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club's Championship Sweepstakes sailed on Saturday over 7.9 miles resulted as follows:—

"A" CLASS Finished Psn Pts.  
True Blue .....

(Mr. L. D. Ralph) 17.10.38 1 18  
La Linda .....

(Mr. G. G. Wood) 17.10.41 2 10  
Jean .....

(Capt. G. J. Tarr) 17.11.56 3 14  
Gull .....

(Capt. A. O. G. Mills) 17.11.59 4 12  
Gull .....

(Mr. S. K. Helberg) 17.12.03 5 11  
Gull .....

(Mr. S. K. Helberg) 17.12.50 6 10  
Redshank .....

(Cdr. R. B. E. Johnstone) 17.13.53 7 9  
Petrel .....

(Mr. C. F. Hyde) 17.13.54 8 8  
Joss .....

(Major G. E. Neve) 17.13.55 9 7  
Artemis .....

(Mr. C. C. Blake) 17.17.35 9 7  
Kuala .....

(Mrs. M. Johnson) 17.20.00 10 8  
Painted Lady .....

(Lt.-Cdr. W. H. L. Harrison, R.N.) 17.20.34 11 5  
Tyronne Chai .....

(Mr. B. Hirschend) 17.21.43 12 4  
Isobel .....

(Capt. R. L. Berridge) 17.24.36 13 3  
Maureen .....

(Mr. J. Gifford Hull) 17.25.38 14 2  
Result subject to protest Joss v. Petrel.

MIXED CLASS  
Winkle .....

(Mr. G. T. Harrington) 17.21.32 1 12  
Zephyr .....

(Major Rochford Boyd) 17.22.31 2 10  
Widgeon .....

(Mr. B. F. MacCabe) 17.23.11 3 8  
Eryl .....

(Lt.-Col. J. C. L. Yale) 17.23.36 4 6  
Owl .....

(Mr. C. C. Eastergate) 17.23.38 5 5  
Ailsa .....

(Capt. W. A. Ingram) 17.26.18 6 4  
Wendy .....

(Mr. H. W. Browne) 17.29.53 7 3  
Nanette .....

(Mr. V. V. Fasciato) 17.37.02 8 2

## KOWLOON DOCKS BEAT C.S.C.C.

Playing at home greens, the Kowloon Docks R. C. beat the Civil Service C. C. in a friendly lawn bowl match by 67-57 shots.

A. M. Calman, W. D. McMaster, W. Houston and K. M. Morrison (K.D.R.C.) beat T. Seddon, M. Balch, C. Strange and M. N. Rakusen 20-19.

T. Coleman, J. McPherson, J. G. Ozerio and J. Kempton (K.D.R.C.) beat M. Scott, A. B. Allan, W. J. Burling and W. R. Hillier 25-21.

J. Revie, C. S. M. Thom, F. Cullen and R. Lapsley (K.D.R.C.) beat P. D. Crawley, W. Gardner, S. Eccleshall and J. P. McGowan 22-17.

KOWLOON R.C. DOWN  
At Chatham Road, Kowloon Football Club lost to H.K.C.C. by 63-94 shots in a friendly lawn bowls match on Saturday.

W. Seraphina, R. M. Ogden, J. Smith and J. Gibson (skip) 18 lost to W. Cornell, A. Hyde-Lay, A. Nissim and P. S. Cassidy (skip) 26.

S. Wong C. Woodcock, J. Ross and B. Evans (skip) 11 lost to G. R. Razavet, A. D. Humphreys, L. J. Mout and G. E. Costello (skip) 33.

C. Fuller, R. Hughes, W. Naei and E. Kern (skip) 11 lost to B. Lacon, L. E. N. Ryan, A. McKellar and J. Prentice (skip) 25.

G. Cross, B. Thompson, Y. Abbas and C. Dowman (skip) 23 beat M. Lambert, N. D. Lloyd, E. S. Abraham and R. R. Davies (skip) 10.

The alumni of the National (Tsing Hwa) University had an enjoyable outing at Stanley yesterday. The programme included picnic, games and talk. The function was well attended.

## L.G. GOSANO'S BRILLIANT BOWLING

The following were the results of Saturday's friendly cricket matches:—

At Happy Valley Civil Service C. C. lost to Club de Recreio by six wickets.

C. S. C. C. 48—(T. V. N. Fortescue 18, L. G. Gosano 6 for 7).

Club de Recreio 181 for 6 wickets—(G. N. Gosano 101, not out, W. A. Reed 24, not out, Baker 4 for 2).

H.K.C.C. BEAT C.C.C.  
At Chater Road, H. K. Cricket Club beat C. C. C. by 4 wickets.

H. K. C. C. 131 for 6 wickets—(N. D. Booker 51, C. W. E. Bishop 18 not out).

C. C. C. 125—(G. Souza 57, A. B. Hamson 20).

WIN FOR K.C.C.  
P. R. C. 41—(A. E. Carey 21, Burch 12 for 4, Luke 1 for 2).

K. C. C. 116 for nine wickets—(W. L. Rapley 36, D. J. N. Anderson 24 not out, A. E. Carey 19 for 3).

I.R.C. TROUNCED  
At Sookunpoo, Army beat Indian R. C. by 157 runs.

Army 193 for 3 wickets—(L/Cpl Logan 58, Cpl. Shaw 55 not out, 2nd Lt. T. A. Pearce 40 and Sgt. Denyer 32 not out).

Indian R. C. 35—(A. H. Madar 14, Dobbinson 7 for 5 and Murphy 8 for 1).

SECOND XI.  
K.C.C. DEFEAT ROYALS  
At King's Park, K. C. C. Juniors beat Royal Scots by 3 wickets.

K. C. C. 114—(F. J. Lay 29, R. T. Broadbridge 20 and E. C. Fincher 18 not out, Pte. Bateman 9 for 2, Pte. Emmerson 13 for 4).

Royal Scots 87—(Major Godby 19 and Pte. Peacock 16, Parsons 8 for 2).

I.R.C. LOSE TO ARMY  
At Sookunpoo, Army 2nd XI beat Indian R. C. second by 14 runs.

Army 62—(Major Swyre 27 and 2nd Lt. Ansari 12, A. el Arculli 20 for 5).

Indian R. C. 48—(A. R. Razack 24, Barsby 15 for 4, Bailey 11 for 4).

## GOLF MEETING AT VALLEY

## HONGKONG DEFEAT KOWLOON

Playing at Happy Valley yesterday, the Royal Hongkong Golf Club beat the Kowloon Golf Club by 17 points to 12½ in the second meeting of the year.

The results were as follow:—  
SINGLES

D. S. Edwards (H.K.) lost to R. K. Collins two up; A. McKellar (H.K.) beat A. J. Dennis; A. C. I. Bowker (H.K.) and H. K. Phillips square; D. Humphreys beat W. S. Hillier 2 and 1; M. Sharp (H.K.) and W. K. McKenzie all square;

J. Low (H.K.) lost to A. L. Eastman 3 and 2; H. H. Mundy (H.K.) beat W. C. Simpson 5 and 3; A. D. Humphreys (H.K.) beat W. V. Ahern; W. Stoker (H.K.) lost to E. F. Fincher 8 and 5; G. Willerton (H.K.) lost to A. W. Ramsey 2 up; D. Forbes (H.K.) lost to W. A. Stewart 5 and 3; A. H. Penn (H.K.) lost to F. C. Barry 5 and 3;

G. Davies (H.K.) lost to T. Lamb 1 up; Bebbington (H.K.) beat A. A. Lopes 2 and 1; N. J. Booker (H.K.) lost to W. Kershaw 2 and 1; N. D. Booker (H.K.) and E. O. Murphy all square.

Total:—Hongkong 6½, Kowloon 8½.

FOURSOMES  
Edwards and McKellar (H.K.) and Collins and Dennis all square; Bowker and D. Humphreys (H.K.) beat Phillips and Hillier 2 and 1; T. Low and Sharp (H.K.) lost to Eastman and McKenzie 3 and 2; Mundy and A. D. Humphreys (H.K.) beat Simpson and Ahern 2 and 1; Willerton and Stoker (H.K.) beat Fincher and Ramsey 1 up; Forbes and Penn (H.K.) beat Stewart and Barry 5 and 4; Lamb and Grose (H.K.) beat Davis and Bebbington 3 and 2; N. J. Booker and T. B. Low (H.K.) beat Kershaw and Lopes.

Total:—Hongkong 10½, Kowloon 8.

HULSE'S CENTURY  
The Diocesan Boys' School XI beat the Hongkong University by 47 runs.

D. B. S. 182—(A. J. Hulse 108 retired, L. Lyson 14).

H. K. University 115—(D. Chelliah 41, and J. Fenton 26, Whitfield 1 for 3).

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# Scientific Bombing Of Reich By R.A.F.: Many Economic Targets Hit

LONDON, OCT. 6.—THE "MASTER PLAN" OF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE for the scientific bombing of Germany since the start of the war was outlined for the first time in detail in a ministry of information communiqué issued here tonight.

The story of the formidable blows struck at more than 200 military targets is of particular interest with the appointment of the man who is responsible for their delivery to a position where he will direct the bigger RAF offensive now planned. That man is the new chief of the air staff, Sir Charles Portal, relentless late chief of the bomber command.

MAPS AND FACTS HAVE BEEN PREPARED BY THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION, and are supported by a full list of the major bombing attacks over Germany between Sept. 3, 1939, and the night of Sept. 29-30, 1940, as reported by the communiqué. Minor bombing attacks and leaflet and reconnaissance flights are included in this list.

FRESH LIGHT is thrown on the RAF's anti-invasion campaign, which is directed mainly against objectives in German-occupied territory, writes Reuter's air correspondent, but the ministry of information points out the bombing of large concentrations at the invasion ports not only removes the threat of a Nazi landing in Britain, but inflicts a severe handicap on Germany's use of an important form of her internal transport system—inland waterways.

For barges have been brought from the Rhine and other German rivers which normally carry huge loads of her goods.

TELLING PROOF The ministry makes this important observation in regard to the success of the "master plan" of bombing Germany proper.

"The most telling proof of all of the damage which British bombers have inflicted on Nazi soil," the ministry states, "is contained in the German press. Gagged as it is, it is now having to make cautious admissions in view of public opinion."

The German public have evidently been stirred into clamouring for news as a result of the 700 RAF blows from the Baltic sea to Switzerland, and from the North sea, hundreds of miles inland to Berlin and beyond.

The chief objectives of the RAF in weaving the web of destruction which is clogging Hitler's great industrial war machine have been oil depots

and refineries, armament works, airdromes, docks and naval bases, goods yards and railway junctions, barges and shipping.

NO VARIATION There has been no variation of plan. As the ministry points out, "while the Nazi flyers are dropping their bombs indiscriminately on British beauty spots, lonely villages and residential areas, our raids have been based on carefully conceived, long-prepared plans of attack on targets of economic as well as immediate military importance."

Although Germany has plenty of aluminum, the RAF still bombs her aluminum plants in order to prevent Hitler from using the metal as a substitute for the copper he badly needs. More of Germany's synthetic oil industry—of extreme importance to her in the war—is being systematically smashed. In the last two months, her oil plants in western Germany, which normally produce 40 per cent of her total 2,500,000 tons yearly, have been continuously and heavily attacked.

MUCH DAMAGE Now the RAF is beginning to turn its attention to central Germany, where more than 50 per cent of her total oil production is carried on. The mighty Leuna works has been visited more than once.

As for the Nazi oil refining industry, most of it is concentrated in Hamburg (38 raids), Bremen (31 raids) and western Germany (including Hanover, raided 19 times). It is believed Germany's aircraft industry has suffered similarly, and much damage has been done to her transport.

The ministry of information adds that her industries have often had their entire work interrupted. All exports from south Denmark were stopped for three weeks at the end of June, for instance.

## "WHERE NAPOLEON FLINCHED"

While the Sphinxlike silence about a German attempt to invade Great Britain is still maintained in authoritative quarters in Berlin—where indeed there is nothing concrete to communicate, because the ultimate decision rests with Hitler alone, and his inscrutability on such occasions is proverbial—speculation in diplomatic circles and among the masses of the German people is keen.

No conclusion, it is agreed, can be drawn from Hitler's sudden reappearance in Berlin, for past experience shows that he is as ready to conduct major operations from Berchtesgaden as from Berlin or elsewhere.

### "NEAR FUTURE"

The Hamburger Fremdenblatt, often used as a mouthpiece by the German Foreign Office, seems to regard it as certain that "a German attack on Britain will be made in the near future, when the German defence forces will once again demonstrate their immeasurable superiority."

It adds: "Napoleon, in spite of all the preparations he had made, flinched at the last moment from making an attempt to conquer the island. But the modern weapons that the Reich possesses can put an end to the insularity of Britain. Admittedly, however, such an undertaking has never yet succeeded."

The Hamburger Fremdenblatt concludes by saying that England still thinks in terms of the past.

The fate of the British people is being staked on a last trump card—namely, the belief that the Bri-

## D.E.I. TAKES STEPS TO MEET LIGHTNING ATTACK

BATAVIA, Java.—In the Netherlands Indies it is not forgotten that the mother country fell before the lightning attack of an invader, and every day since May 10 has seen some precautionary steps to protect this land of untold wealth from a similar fate.

The Netherlands Indies, as a result, does not stand alone and defenseless.

With characteristic Dutch efficiency an army, a navy and air force have been organized. The Indies' principal island, Java, particularly has been ringed with steel on the ground, in the air and on the water.

### DEFENCE ACTIVITY

Evidences of defense activity abound. An air visitor to Soerabaya, site of the principal air and naval bases, watches his plane being brought down under field glasses and a Bren gun. Surrounding the camouflaged airdrome are sandbagged pill-boxes and machine gun pits. Acres of flat land adjacent to the air field might be inviting to invading parachute troops—were they not blanketed by sharply pointed bamboo sticks, one to each square foot, ready to impale attacking sky troops.

Every airport in the Indies is blocked by huge logs or barbed wire, saw horses. They are removed for movement of commercial ships, then replaced. Possible

seaplane runways are choked with obstacles. Soddied bomb-proof shelters and pillboxes are numerous throughout principal cities. Dutch businessmen go to work each day with a rifle or pistol conveniently at hand.

### SCATTERED BASES

Military officers charged with protecting the Indies do not envision a system of defense throughout the entire group of islands that stretch for thousands of miles from the tip of northern Australia to Malaya. Such a task would be out of the question. Instead, they have made a strong hold out of Java, and by a system of widely scattered bases have thrown up an outer rim of protection to serve as a first line.

There are perhaps 40 army landing fields at strategic spots through the islands. The navy has perhaps 50 bases, some of them mere coves where fuel and supplies are stored. Just how many fighter and bombing planes there are in the Indies is private information, but unofficial observers believe 400 is not an excessive figure. Some two score of these are Dornier flying boats.

From the air and naval bases at Soerabaya bombers, light planes and ships go on daily patrol flights which cover thousands of miles. Most of the pilots have come from Holland, and the total number of crew members ranges from 1,800 to perhaps 2,000.

### PARTICULARLY

ADVANTAGEOUS From the naval base operate three cruisers, seven destroyers, 15 submarines and a flotilla of lesser craft. In addition, 24 torpedo boats are completed or in the process of construction. Navy men believe these fast craft would be particularly advantageous for use against invading warships in the shallow waters and bays of the Indies.

With no further aid coming from Holland and with Britain able to provide relatively small assistance, the Indies must be able to carry on all the production necessary for war.

Toward this end every effort has been bent. The naval base has two submarine docks equipped for complete overhaul. Fully equipped drydocks serve the navy. The airfields at Soerabaya and Bandoeng have machine shops

capable of building complete airplanes. Twelve thousand men are employed in the plane shops at the Soerabaya field. Lacking sufficient European help, native Javanese have been trained and are taking over all types of work.

### TRAINING PILOTS

Training of new pilots and importation of planes, some from the United States, mainly Curtiss fighters and Martin bombers, are proceeding.

The problem of munitions is another vital one for the Indies. The islands' only munitions factory is at Bandoeng, but it has been working on double-shift for more than a year. It produces all types of projectiles, including large bombs.

Shipments of steel come from the United States biweekly. Prior to the war, steel was obtained from Germany and thousands of the shells stored in vast underground vaults have been manufactured from the German product. Powder comes principally from Europe.

At such a pace has the munitions factory been operating that there is said to be sufficient ammunition for every gun in the Indies, with 30 per cent to spare.

### ARMY STRENGTH

Total strength of the Indies army at present is 108,000 men. Expansion plans call for 40,000 more. Equipment is comparative-

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## H.K. STOCK EXCHANGE

The market remains steady with few transactions recorded.

### BUYERS

H.K. Banks, \$1220.  
Union Ins., \$380.  
Providents, \$4.45.  
Lands, \$30.25.  
Electrics (Old), \$36.40.  
Electrics (New), \$38.  
Telephones (Old), \$23.  
Cements, \$15.75.

### SELLERS

Trams, \$16.  
SALES  
Union Ins., \$387.50.  
Ropes, \$6.30.

A sum of C\$4,000,000 has been raised in the thrift movement for the period ended October 10, launched by the Kwangtung Provincial Government. The authorities are continuing the publicity campaign in the rural areas with a view to achieving better results.

ly modern and mobile, but there is one unanswered question—what will the little-Japanese soldier do under fire?

Dutch officers themselves can't answer that question. The Indies has not been at war for a century and a quarter. The natives, by nature, are gentle and peaceful.

## HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

Buyers	Sellers	Size	Nominal	SATURDAY 19 OCT	Buyer	Sellers	Size	Nominal
				<b>Banks</b>				
\$1220	...	\$1225	...	H.K. Banks	...	...	\$1225	...
...	...	267	...	Do. (Col. Reg.)	...	...	267	...
...	...	280	...	Do. (Lon. Reg.)	...	...	280	...
...	...	282	...	Chartered Banks	...	...	282	...
...	...	255	...	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	255	...
...	...	210	...	Mercantile Bks. "C"	...	...	210	...
...	...	272	...	Bank of East Asia	...	...	272	...
...	...	...	...	N. C. & S. Banks	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Insurances	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Cantor Insurances	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Union Insurances	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Underwriters	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. Fires	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Shipping	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Douglases	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Steamboats	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	Indo-China (Def.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Shells	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Waterboats	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. & K. Wharves	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Providents	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. Docks (Old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. Docks (New)	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	Mining	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Kellans	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Raubs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Hong Kong Mines	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Lands, Hotels and Buildings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. & S. Hotels	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Do. 4% Debentures	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Shanghai Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. Realities	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Humphreys	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Cotton Mills	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Ewo (S.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	S'hai Cottons (S.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Zhong Singa (S.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Wing On Textiles (S.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Public Utilities	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. Tramways	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Peak Trams (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Peak Trams (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Star Ferries	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	China Lights	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	China Lights (New)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. Electric (Old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	H.K. Electric (New)	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Telephones (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Telephones (new)	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	Constructions (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Lane Crawford	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	S'hai Wing On	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Vibro Piling	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	0/104 Marmara Inv. (Lon.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	2/9 Marmara Inv. (H.K.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Wm. Fenella	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	†Sale to Shanghai	...	...	...	...

## FRANCE NOW BANS LIPSTICK

Here are two accounts of life today in France—that part of France which the Pétain Government rules so far as the Nazis permit. One is by the Madrid correspondent of the Daily Express, who managed to cross the frontier from Spain. The other is by Mme. Pons—mother of Lily Pons—who has just left France.

No. 1.—Sent from Cerbere, on the Franco-Spanish frontier, by Daily Express correspondent Reginald Williams.

The French police officials at the frontier knew me. I was lucky. They let me across—"but don't go out of Cerbere," they warned me.

And now I sit on a cafe terrace overlooking the harbour.

A few minutes ago I asked the waiter to bring me something to eat. He shrugged his shoulders and asked: "You have ration cards, monsieur?"

"No," I told him.

Another shrug. "Then, I regret, monsieur, you can have no food. We have only a small ration for ourselves."

"Since this Government came we have no butter, no sugar, no meat."

As I watched the people passing I noticed that none of the women used make-up. It is now forbidden—in France, of all countries, which has sent powder and lipstick all over the world.

Women cannot now buy wine or any other alcoholic drink in a cafe or restaurant unless they have a man companion.

No. 2.—As told by Mme. Pons, mother of the film star and opera singer, before she left Lisbon by Clipper to join her daughter in America.

I came to Lisbon two days ago from my country home near Avignon where I have been staying

## ENTRY OF WOMEN & CHILDREN INTO MALAYA LIMITED

Rules governing the entry of European women and girls and also males under 18 years into Malaya were released on Oct. 10 by the British consulate in Manila, reports the Manila Bulletin. British Consul General, Mr. S. Wyatt-Smith said the rules were issued under the British defense regulations.

The order reads:

"1. In future no European woman or girl who is not normally resident or employed in the colony of the Straits Settlements or a Malay State (including Brunei), or who is not the wife or daughter of a person normally so resident or employed, will be permitted to enter."

"2. A similar ban applies to male Europeans under the age of 18 who are not the sons of persons normally resident or employed as above."

"3. Europeans include persons of European descent whether or not born in Europe."

"4. Transit passengers will not be affected by these regulations."

with my other daughter.

We saw many Germans in unoccupied France. Two weeks ago, in Avignon, I saw a commotion in the market-place, with gendarmes clearing a passage for sixteen smart limousines. In them were elegantly dressed, monocled German staff officers.

The French country folk crowded around gaping. I was furious, and would have liked to tell them all to go home and not stand there looking at the invaders.

Recently Germans came to a small macaroni factory near our home and wanted to buy ten tons. The manager said he had only five tons in stock.

He was told he had forty-eight hours in which to produce the ten tons.

But France will come back. You will see.

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## FOREIGN MARKETS &amp; QUOTATIONS

## BANKS

## MONEY AND EXCHANGE

## CLOSING QUOTATIONS

OCTOBER 19, 1940.

On London:—  
Telegraphic Transfer 1/3 7/8  
Bank Bills, on demand 1/3 7/8  
Credits 4 months sight 1/3 1/2

On Shanghai:—  
On demand 38 5/8  
On Singapore:—  
On demand 53 3/4

On Japan:—  
On demand 100

On India:—  
Telegraphic Transfer 82 1/2  
and demand 82 1/2

On New York:—  
Bank Bills, on demand 23 5/8  
Credits, 60 days sight 23 1/2

On Batavia:—  
On demand 42 1/4

On Paris:—  
Bank Bills, on demand Nom.  
Credits 4 months sight Nom.

On Saigon:—  
On demand 98 1/2

On Manila:—  
On demand 40 1/4

On Bangkok:—  
On demand 149 1/2

On Sterling Notes:—  
Bank Buying Rate Nom.  
Silver per oz. 23 7/16

## Market Report

FROM ROZA BROS.  
Ready Silver was quoted yesterday at 23 7/16 and Forward at 23 3/8. American Silver was quoted at 34 3/4 for Spot. Silver advances reported the market as being quiet.

The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 402 1/2. New York/London was quoted at 403.

## MARKET

STERLING  
No business was reported. There were sellers at 1/23 1/2 for October-December, buyers at 1/3 for Cash.

## U. S. DOLLARS

Opened with sellers at 23 for near, buyers bidding 23 1/16 resulting in some business at 23 1/16 for Cash. Towards the close there were sellers at 23 1/16 for near, buyers at 23 1/8 for Cash.

## SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Some business was done at 393 1/2 and also at 393. The market closed with sellers at 392 1/2.

## SHANGHAI MARKET

Opened with sellers of Sterling for Spot at 349/64 and closed steady with sellers at 351/64 for Spot. U.S. Dollars opened with sellers at 525/32 for Spot closed steady with sellers at 527/32 for Spot.

## Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, Oct. 19 (Reuter).

Official T.T. Rates

	Opening	Closing
London	0/3-11/16	5-5/8
New York	23-7/8	23-7/8
Japan	20-3/8 N	24-1/2
Hongkong	24-1/2	

## Sterling

	Opening	Closing
Spot	0/3-49/84	0/3-51/84
Oct.	0/3-49/84	0/3-51/84
Nov.	0/3-49/84	0/3-51/84

U.S. Dollars

	Opening	Closing
Spot	\$5-25/32	\$5-27/32
Oct.	5-25/32	5-27/32
Nov.	5-25/32	5-27/32

Market—Dull.

## Calcutta Exchange

Calcutta, Oct. 19 (Reuter).  
T.T. on Japan, 81-1/4.

## India Rupee Paper

Bombay, Oct. 19 (Reuter).  
Govt. 34% Rupee, 91-02-0.

## SILVER MARKET

BOMBAY SILVER

Bombay, Oct. 19 (Reuter).  
Market—Quiet. Offtake 25 bars.

Indian Mint Silver

	Ready	Oct. 23 Settlement	Nov. 26 Settlement
	82-09	82-09	82-10

## LONDON METALS EXCHANGE

London, Oct. 18 (Reuter).  
Tin, Standard, Cash, Middle Price, £258-3/4.  
Tin, Standard, 3 months, Middle Price, £259-7/8.  
Market steady but quiet on fair overnight United States interest. A fair quantity has been recently exported to South America.

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## COMMODITY MARKET REVIEW

(FROM PAYNE &amp; CO.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 19, 1940.

SINGAPORE RUBBER

	Previous	October 19	Change
Close	38-3/8	38-1/4	off 1/4
Buyers	36-1/8	36	unch.
S P O T	34-1/4	34-1/8	off 1/8

APR-JUNE

The market was steady but quiet.

LONDON RUBBER

	Previous close	Today's close	Change
buyers	11-11/16		
buyers	11-3/4		
NOVEMBER	11-3/4		
DECEMBER	11-3/4		
JAN-MAR	11-3/4		
APRIL-JUNE	11-5/8		

NEW YORK COTTON: There was a slight increase in hedging, but prices are steady and the market acts well.

NEW YORK HIDES: It is reported that the Government is acquiring stocks of hides against future emergency.

NEW YORK STOCKS: Previous close, 132.45; Today's close, 132.18; Change, off .27.

## NEW YORK COMMODITY MARKET

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

	Prev.	Today's	Change
New York Cotton, Dec.	9.52	9.48	01 off
New York Rubber, Dec.	20.26	20.22	04 off
Chicago Wheat, Dec.	86	85 1/2	1/2 off
Chicago Corn, Dec.	60 1/2	60 1/2	
New York Hides, Dec.	12.99	12.87	12 off

NEW YORK COTTON

	Close	Open	Change
Dec. (New contract)	9.49/49	9.51/52	01 off
January (1941)	9.40 N	9.40b/44a	unch.
March	9.46/47	9.46/48	unch.
May	9.37/37	9.39/39	01 off
July	9.18/18	9.20/20	01 off
Oct.	8.73 N	8.76 N	03 off
Spot	8.58 N	8.57n	01 off

Total sales Friday—69,000 bales.

NEW YORK RUBBER

	Close	Open	Change
December	20.31/31	20.25/22	03 off
January (1941)	20.10b	unquoted	
March	19.90/90	19.35/85	unch.
May	19.75b	19.70/67	08 off

Totals sales—220 tons.

CHICAGO WHEAT

	Close	Open	Change
December	85 1/2/85 1/2	85 1/2/85 1/2	1 up
May (1941)	84 1/2/84 1/2	84 1/2/84 1/2	unch.

Friday's Sales—9,354,000 bushels.

CHICAGO CORN

	Close	Open	Change
December	60 1/2/60 1/2	60 1/2/60 1/2	1 off
May (1941)	61 1/2/61 1/2	61 1/2/61 1/2	1 off

WINNIPEG WHEAT

	Close	Open	Change
October	70 1/2b	70 1/2/70 1/2	1 up

NEW YORK HIDES

	Close	Open	Change
December	12.62/62	12.67/67	23 up
March (1941)	12.23b/35a	12.38/37	29 up

Total sales for the day—159 contracts.

NY-Official Silver 34-3/4 unquoted  
NY-London cross Rate 4.03 4.03

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

London, Oct. 18.  
The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

	Price
War Loan, 3 1/2% (Red, after 1952)	102 1/2
Antion-K'oon Rly. 5%	6
Chinese 4 1/2% Gold Loan 1898 (Brit. Issue)	30
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	35
Chin. 4 1/2% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	44
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	12
Chinese 5 1/2% Rente Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is)	18
Chinese 8% Ster. Notes, 1925 (Vickers)	9
Chin. Imperial Rly. 5% Loan	41
Honan Rly. 5%	10
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 (L.P. N.Y. Issue)	12
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 (German Issue)	10
Lung Tsin & U. Hai Rly. 5% 1913	8
S'hai-N'K'ing Rly. 5%	12
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	8
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (German Stpd.)	8
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	8
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1924	22
Ger. 7% Intl. Loan, 1924	51
Chartered Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	80

## LONDON MONEY MARKET

London, Oct. 20 (Reuter).  
Conditions in the Money Market were very easy throughout the week, institutions outside clearing bank circles often being willing to accept 3 1/2 per cent. against bonds of overnight loans.

The whole of the £265,000,000 worth of Treasury Bills offered were allotted at the average rate of 2 1/2 per cent. 4 1/2d. Despite the increase in applications from 127 to 129.8 millions the market's quota at 3 1/2 per cent. was practically unchanged from the previous week. Wall Street closed steady.

H.K. & S'hai Bank (Col. Reg.) 67

Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer) 14-  
Chosen Corporation 4-  
Pekin Syndicate 2-  
S'hai Elec. Constr. Co. 15-  
S'hai Waterworks "A" 13-  
Union Insurance 20  
Gula Kalumpung Rubber 13/8-  
B-A. Tob. (bearer) 82/8-  
Mercantile Bank 104  
Dunlop Rubber 30/3-  
Bristol Aeroplane 9/10-  
Imperial Chemical Ind. 27/8-  
United Steel 19/11-  
Woolworths 57/11-  
Marsman Investments 6/10-  
Western Holdings 8/9-  
Sub-Nigel 160  
Shell Trans. & Trad. (bearer) 36/3-  
Nat. Defence Bonds, 3% 101 1/2-  
London-Midlands-Scottish 12 1/2-  
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American Cyanamid B.	38 1/2	Montgomery Ward	41 1/2
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Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	43	National City Bank	—
Lockheed Aircraft	29		

## DOW JONES AVERAGE

	1940	High	Low	Dow Jones Averages	Oct. 18	Oct. 20, 1940	Change
158.80	111.84	30	Industrials	132.45	132.58	131.09	132.18
32.67	23.16	20	Rails	22.96	22.93	22.85	22.89
28.45	18.03	20	Utilities	22.33	22.26	22.16	22.20
90.81	32.08	40	Bonds	90.21	90.21	90.17	90.17
64.07	48.74	11	Commodity Index	55.23	55.41	55.41	55.41

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## AMENDMENT TO TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

The Traffic Department, is now considering to amend a certain section of the Traffic Regulations. The amendment is considered necessary following a street accident in which a passenger jumped off a moving vehicle and died as a result of the fall.

At present there is no regulation requiring any report of an accident of this nature, and the amendment is to make it necessary for the driver to report to the police of such cases.

## Passengers

The following passengers are expected to arrive in the Colony shortly: Mr. G. Azam, Miss Gertrude R. Bayless, Miss L. Emma Brodbeck, Dr. Robert B. Lynn, Mrs. Robert B. Lynn, Miss Ann Irene G. Lynn, Mr. E. L. Marshall, Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Mr. F. G. A. Suter, Mrs. F. G. A. Suter, Mr. S. Tarzi, Dr. G. T. Tootall.

## COLONY HEALTH RETURNS

Thirteen cases of dysentery, six of enteric fever, one of cerebro-spinal fever and 43 of tuberculosis were notified to the local Health authorities on Friday.

## EASTERN PORTS

The health bulletin of Eastern ports for the week ending Oct. 12 is as follows:—Cholera—Cawnpore 4 Cases, Coconada 7, Calcutta 11, Macao 37, Hongkong 12, Shanghai 33; Small-pox—Coconada 2 cases, Cuddalore 1, Alleppey 3, Bombay 2, Calcutta 7, Madras 2, Rangoon 1 and Bangkok 3.

## WEATHER REPORT

Royal Observatory, Hongkong.  
10 a.m., Oct. 20:  
Barometer (at sea level), 29.97 ins.  
Temperature, 83 F.  
Humidity, 76 per cent.

Wind Direction, W.N.  
Wind Force (Beaufort), 2.  
Temperature; maximum yesterday 88 F.

Temperature; minimum last night, 77 F.  
Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th today, nil.

Against an average of 81.14 ins. total rainfall since January 1st 113.03 ins.

Sunset tonight, 5.54 p.m.  
Sunrise tomorrow, 6.22 a.m.

4 p.m. Oct. 20  
Barometer (at sea level) 29.86.  
Temperature 85.

Humidity 72 percent.  
Wind Direction S.W.  
Wind Force (Beaufort) 3.  
Maximum temperature 88.  
Minimum temperature 77.  
Rainfall 0.00.

## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 21 to 27 Oct. 1940.

Days of Week	Date of Month	HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
		Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Mon.	21	12.53	4.0	06.27	2.1
		03.29	7.4	17.05	4.1
Tues.	22	14.06	4.8	07.20	2.4
		00.11	7.3	08.25	2.5
Wed.	23	15.35	4.7	07.40	2.6
		01.09	7.0	09.40	2.8
Thurs.	24	16.55	4.8	08.30	2.5
		02.25	6.8	10.48	2.5
Fri.	25	17.48	5.1	11.16	2.4
		03.56	6.6	11.40	2.4
Sat.	26	18.24	5.5	12.39	2.4
		03.22	6.6		
Sun.	27	18.55	6.0	12.58	2.4

## Police Courts

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The defendant, who returned from banishment, and had one previous conviction of larceny, was sentenced to four months in prison and to be expelled.

## BROTHEL KEEPERS FINED

Convicted of keeping a European brothel at No. 29, Wai Ching Street, Lo Fuk, 52, was fined \$20 or one month in prison by Mr. Macfadyen on Saturday.

Lam Chung, 55, was fined \$15 or three weeks in prison for keeping a Chinese brothel at No. 13, Arthur Street.

## ROOM BOY REMANDED

Yeung Hol, 22, dining room boy, was charged before Mr. Macfadyen on Saturday with disorderly conduct by throwing stones at military football ground at Chatham Road.

The defendant was remanded 48 hours. As Mr. E. Himsforth will be one of the witnesses the case was transferred to the first court.

## AN OLD OFFENDER

Appearing before Mr. Himsforth on Saturday on the charge of larceny of one jack and a quantity of motor accessories from a garage at No. 81, Cheong On Street, Li Ngau, 28, was sentenced to six months' hard labour.

The defendant had 11 previous convictions.

## SUMMONS FAILED

Summoned before Mr. Macfadyen on Saturday for operating a workshop, at Cheung Sha Wan without a licence, Chan Tin-san, manager of a weaving factory was dismissed owing to lack of evidence.

Giving evidence, Lok Wing, manager of Wing Yik Factory, said that some of them shared the premises and that the defendant had no interest in the factory as he had sold his factory long ago. Mr. P. Y. Woo appeared for the defendant.

## MANSLAUGHTER CASE

Wong Hol, charged with manslaughter, appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen on Saturday for another remand of three days. The defendant was alleged to have killed a Chinese, Au Leung, on October 15.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan, will appear for the defence.

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## MEETINGS TO HEAR PROF. CULLIS

Amongst the meetings already announced for Professor Winifred Cullis, C.B.E., that arranged to be held in the Cathedral Hall at 5.40 p.m. tomorrow is important.

The meeting has been especially arranged to give the Nursing Services an opportunity of meeting Professor Cullis, who will speak on "The Romance of the Vitamin." This subject is of particular interest at this time and it is expected that, in spite of examinations and other duties, a large number of those enrolled in the nursing service will attend. Another interesting item on Professor Cullis's programme will be the visit to St. John's Ambulance Association at 5 p.m. on October 25, when lady surgeons and officers of the Association are arranging to meet her and to show her something of the work they are doing in the Colony.

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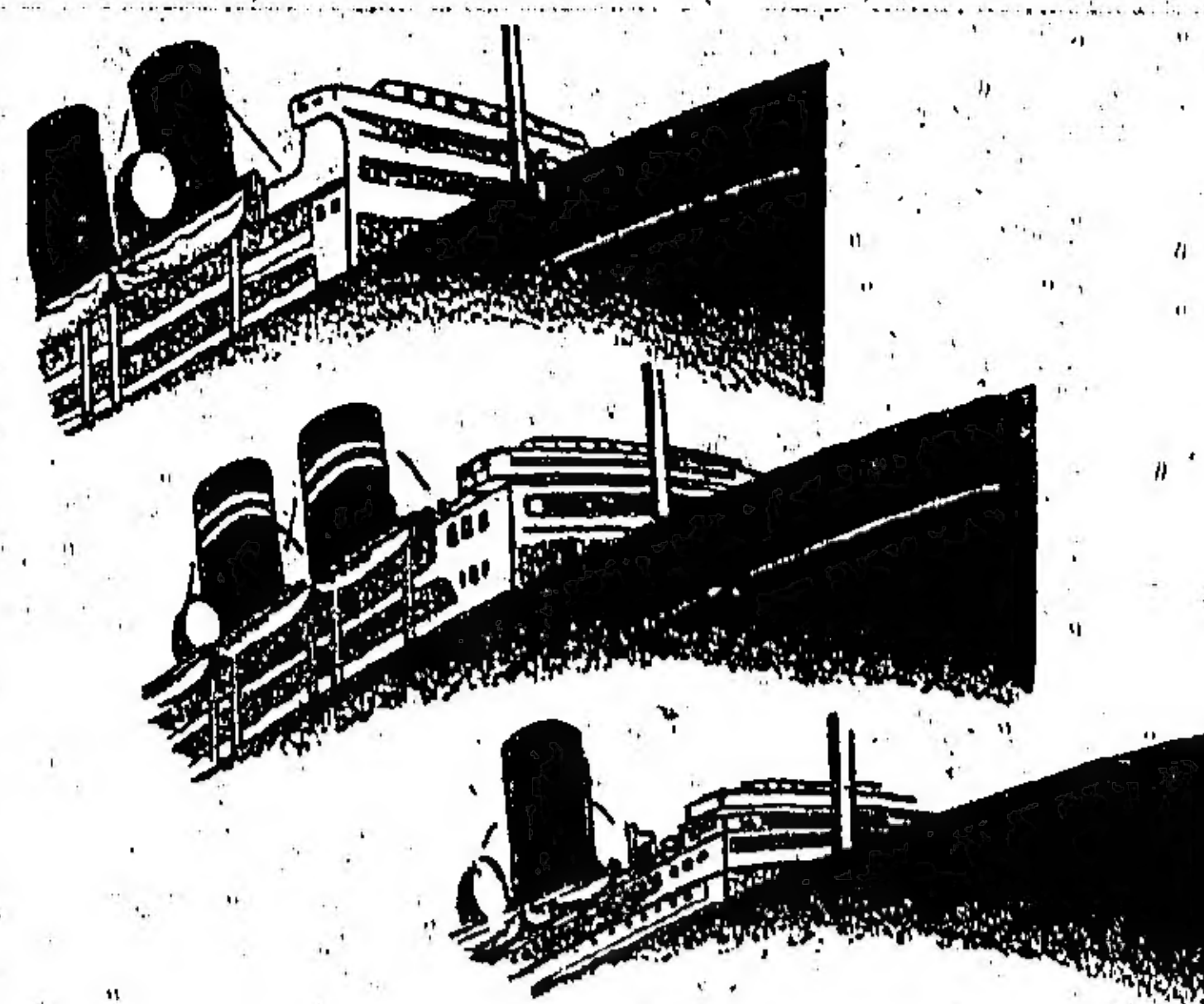
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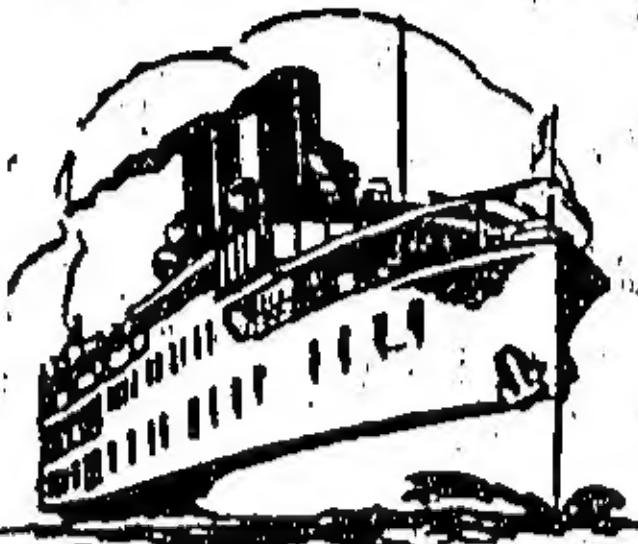
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### PROMISING FORM OF WINNERS

Displaying good form, in spite of the earliness of the season, Army defeated Club by nine points (three tries) to three points (a try) in a friendly rugby game on the Club ground on Saturday. Club, without Stewart, did not impress, and on the whole played a ragged game. The backs were at times good but when under pressure by the Army wing forwards they did not handle the ball so confidently. Possessing a grand pack Army was definitely the superior side. Richards and Douglass made a fine combination, though the latter was rather shaky at the start but settled down to play a brilliant game.

#### CLUB SCORES

Club opened the score first when Thomson crossed the line but McCrea failed to convert. Shortly after, Douglass, picking up from the loose, crossed the line for Army's first try in the corner but Marsh failed to convert. Before half-time arrived Richards, but Army ahead but Berry failed with the kick.

The only try scored in the second half was by Douglass who went over midway from the corner flag but Marsh again failed to convert.

Army: Ford; Richards, Douglass, Coobes and Marsh; Hook and Wedderburn; Berry, Sutherland, Pinkerton; Willoughby, Millar; Duke, Cuthbertson and Heath.

Club: Thompson; Bosanquet, Charter, Day and Carruthers; Atkenhead and Thomson; Heaman, Dunnett, Kennedy; Hackett, Gairdner; Godfrey, Taylor and McCrea.

#### CLUB "A" SWAMPED

Army completed the double when their "A" XV trounced Club XV by goals and three tries (19 points) to nil after being five points up at the interval.

Army played a bustling game, Bedford, Hewitt and Bompas (formerly of Club) were outstanding in the Army pack. The only Club players to impress were Davies and Birt.

Pictou, Giblin, Gibson (2), Ferguson and Giblin scored tries and Keeble converted Pictou's effort and Gibson's first score.

#### NAVY COLLAPSE

Maintaining their promise shown in practice games Police beat Royal Navy by a try and two penalty goals (nine points) to two penalty goals (six points) at Causeway Bay on Saturday.

That they were defeated Navy had only themselves to blame, especially in the earlier stages of the second half when Watson, formerly of Club, hooked brilliantly. Navy has a great "find" in Lambie who gave a sound display at right centre-three-quarter but he lacked weight.

#### POLICE AHEAD

After five minutes' play Police were three points ahead when Navy was penalised for offside and Taylor kicked a penalty goal. Reynolds put Police further ahead when he beat Wright to the ball for an unconverted try.

Shortly after the interval Navy levelled the scores with a penalty goal by King. Police, however, increased the lead when a Navy forward was penalised for lying on the ball inside the 22 line and Taylor converted his second penalty goal.

## HOME RUGGER RESULTS

LONDON, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—The following were the results of rugby matches (Home) played over the week-end:

#### RUGBY UNION

London Hospital 3, Guy's Hospital 11.  
Rosslyn Park 13, Metropolitan Police 14.  
Cambridge U. 21, Middlesex Hospital 16.  
Corbett's XV 25, Empire XV 8.  
Gloucester 12, Army XV 12.

#### RUGBY LEAGUE

Batley 11, Dewsbury 8.  
Bramley 5, Castleford 8.  
Featherstone 20, Huddersfield 10.  
Halifax 17, Leeds 15.  
Hunslet 0, Bradford 19.  
Keighley 6, Hull 14.  
Oldham 15, Leigh 3.  
St. Helen's 6, Salford 0.  
Swinton 12, Broughton 11.  
Wakefield 37, York 12.  
Wigan 19, Liverpool 3.

## UNFORTUNATE INCIDENT AT C. HILL

A well-contested First Division football game between St. Joseph's and Police at Caroline Hill yesterday resulted in a draw of one goal all. St. Joseph's showing marked superiority, should have had collected both points as they were playing a better type of football.

The Saints early attacked strongly, and as a result of short passes, Gomes shot from 15 yards out only for Taylor to deflect the ball onto Liu Kwai-chuen, who made no mistake with a well-placed drive.

Wong Man-kwai receiving from Pope, who at this interval had his eyebrow badly cut open, made a perfect pass through for Howlett to place the Police on level terms.

#### POLICE CHANGES

In the second period, the Police made changes, Pope playing at outside right, while Wong Man-kwai took over the attack in place of Lau Pak-hing who played at right-half. This change did not affect the Police team in the least.

A most unfortunate incident occurred when Sammy Tsang, in running out for the ball, was kicked badly by Chan Kwong-yu, who was cautioned by the referee and later received marching orders when he kicked Maher when the latter was not in possession of the ball.

The Saints were well served again in the defence. Hussain and Leonard proving towers of strength. The half-backs distributed the ball well. Tsang in goal, playing with an injured hand, appeared to be badly shaken.

Howlett was the best of the Police forwards, while Ferrier was a great schemer, but he received no support. Taylor, in goal, played his usual sound game.

ST. JOSEPH'S: S. Tsang, Hussain, Leonard, Maher, Fernandes, Lau Wing-kwong; Liu Kwai-chuen, Santos, Macdonald, Gomes, Ortiz.

POLICE: Taylor, Blackburn, Parker; Pope, Gough, North; Wong Man-kwai, Howlett, Lau Pak-hing, Ferrier, Chan Kwong-yu.

## HOME SOCCER RESULTS

### 198 GOALS SCORED IN 40 MATCHES

The following are the results of Home football matches played yesterday:

#### SOUTH (REGIONAL)

Arsenal 5, Northampton 4.  
Birmingham 4, Mansfield 1.  
Brentford 8, Fulham 3.  
Cardiff 2, Coventry 2.  
Charlton 4, Tottenham 0.  
Chelsea 3, Queen's P. R. 1.  
Crystal Palace 6, Clapton Orient 2.  
Leicester 4, Luton 0.  
Millwall 2, West Ham 2.  
Norwich 8, Southend 4.  
Notts County 4, Walsall 2.  
Portsmouth 1, Aldershot 3.  
Reading 5, Bournemouth 1.  
Stoke 1, West Bromwich 3.  
Swansea 0, Bristol City 1.  
Watford 3, Southampton 2.

#### (NORTH (REGIONAL))

Blackburn 2, Rochdale 0.  
Bradford City 3, Leeds 6.  
Chester 1, Everton 0.  
Chesterfield 2, Sheffield U. V.  
Crewe 2, Brighton 3.  
Grimsby 3, Doncaster 2.  
Huddersfield 1, Barnsley 2.  
Hull 2, Newcastle 1.  
Liverpool 0, Manchester C. 4.  
Manchester U. 4, Preston 1.  
Middlesbrough 6, Bradford 2.  
Oldham 6, Burnley 1.  
Sheffield W. 4, Halifax 2.  
Stockport 1, Bury 1.  
Tranmere 2, Southport 0.  
York 3, Rotherham 1.

#### SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Airdrieonians 3, St. Mirren 0.  
Glyde 10, Hearts 3.  
Falkirk 4, Partick 1.  
Hibernian 2, Third Lanark 2.  
Morton 2, Dumbarton 1.  
Motherwell 5, Celtic 1.  
Queen's Park 1, Hamilton 2.  
Rangers 2, Albion 0.

## SEM-FINALS DRAW

The following is the draw of the Semi-Finals of the Colony Lawn Bowls Singles Championship matches which will be played at Kowloon Bowling Green Club on Thursday at 4.15 p.m.  
M. N. Bakken v. F. J. Jones  
U. M. Omer v. M. R. Abbas

## Softball Results

### SEASON OPENS WITH CLUT OF RUNS

The following are the results of yesterday's Softball games both in the Ladies' and Men's Leagues:—

#### LADIES' LEAGUE

Team	R	H	E
Wildcats	25	18	7
Cardinal	8	6	11
Wahoos	29	12	1
Chung Hwa	3	4	5
Baby Panthers	33	14	4
L.F.C.	3	4	16
Canadians	20	13	—
Recreo	6	5	—

#### MEN'S LEAGUE

Team	R	H	E
Recreo "A"	22	13	3
Canadian	2	4	8
St. Joseph's	12	9	3
H.K.B.C.	9	8	5
Cyclone Club	16	13	4
Filipino Club	6	8	9

#### 2nd Division

Team	R	H	E
Recreo "B"	13	—	—
V.R.C.	9	—	—
Cosmopolitan Club	19	—	—
Royal Scots	18	—	—
Liga Portuguesa	16	—	—
Royal Artillery	—	—	—
S.C.A.A.	16	—	—
C.B.A.	6	—	—
R.A.F.	12	—	—
R.E.	11	—	—

## LOCAL A.R.P. PRECAUTIONS

Wing Commander A.H. Steele, Perkins, Director of A.R.P., has submitted to the Government an eighteen-month plan for completion of all measures for the best possible protection for the general public against air raids. It is reliably learned.

A considerable increase in the number of concrete air raid shelters, additional shelter-tunnels, shelter-trenches in suitable open spaces, the erection of shelter zones on the hillside and the piling of hollow concrete blocks between pillars under verandahs of well-constructed buildings are included in the programme.

FOOD AND WATER SUPPLY.—In the event of emergency the shelter zones on the hillside will be supplied with all food while water pipes are to be laid on. As a measure for the refugees to protect themselves against severe weather, building material will also be provided in the zones to build temporary huts. There will also be materials for the purpose of digging trench-shelters.

To prevent confusion in the event of an emergency all residents will be instructed and controlled by air raid wardens. Everything is being planned to avoid the slightest confusion among residents should a warning come for them to leave their homes and take shelter.

A survey of all wide roads and streets, open spaces, play grounds, gardens and hillside near residential districts, is being carried out by the Department for the purpose of planning detailed measures for protection.

Meantime, there is still a shortage of about 1,000 air raid wardens in the Colony. There are, at present, only 2,500 public wardens and 800 house wardens.

ANOTHER "BLACK-OUT"—A large scale "Black-out" exercise will be held during the second week of next month. The chief purpose will be to test the communication system.

## TONY RICKETTS RETAINS CHINA GOLF TITLE

SHANGHAI, Oct. 20 (Reuter).—Tony Ricketts today retained the Amateur Golf Championship of China with a final score of 295. Lewis Carson was second with 331 and A.B. Davis and W.H.C. Huggett tied for third place with 315 but Davis won the place in a five hole play-off.

Ricketts led in the morning round with a score of 70—seven strokes up Carson who was second. In the afternoon round Huggett was first with 70, Carson second with 73 and Ricketts third with 74.

Yesterday, Ricketts led in the first round with a score of 181 and Carson was second with 150. The play yesterday took place at Seekangao course and today at Hungjiao.

## FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, MONDAY, 21st OCTOBER, 1940, 9.30 A.M.

The Imperial Airways Service between Hongkong and Bangkok is temporarily suspended. Air mail correspondence will be accepted at the existing rates of postage and will be forwarded, by the first opportunity by steamer to Singapore to connect with the east and west bound air services.

Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

## INWARD MAILS

From	Due
Java and Manila	23rd Oct.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan, and Shanghai — (Vancouver B. C. date, 5th October)	24th Oct.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways" Direct Service, San Francisco date, 18th October	25th Oct.
Australia and Manila	25th Oct.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco date, 4th October)	25th Oct.
U. S. A., and Manila — (San Francisco date, 5th October)	26th Oct.
Calcutta and Straits	26th Oct.
London and Straits	26th Oct.
London and Straits	26th Oct.
U. S. A., and Manila — (Seattle date, 30th Sept.)	26th Oct.
London and Straits	26th Oct.
Java and Manila	30th Oct.
Australia and Manila	1st Nov.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan, and Shanghai — (San Francisco date 15th October)	4th Nov.

## OUTWARD MAILS

Registered and Parcel Mail are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day. When mails are advertised to close after 5 p.m., Registered and Parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m.

For	Date and Time
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>Mon. 21st</b>
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U. S. A., Central and South America, Canada and United Kingdom via San Francisco	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Ord. 8.30 AM
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Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, via Cape Town	Ord. 10.30 AM
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Wed. 23rd</b>
Sandakan	8.30 AM
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Thu. 24th</b>
Straits and United Kingdom	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 23rd 4.00 PM Reg. 23rd 5.00 PM Ord. 24th 8.30 AM
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Fri. 25th</b>
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U. S. A., & Europe via "Pan American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Services"	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Sat. 26th</b>
Manila, Macassar and Sourabaya	8.30 AM
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>Mon. 28th</b>
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa and United Kingdom	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 26th 5.00 PM Reg. 26th 5.00 PM Ord. 28th 8.30 AM
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America and United Kingdom via San Francisco (No Mail for Canada)	G.P.O. Par. 4.00 PM Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Tue. 29th</b>
Straits and Calcutta	Par. 11.00 AM Letters Noon Sandakan 12.30 PM Bangkok, Madang, Salamaua, Rabaul and Tulagi 1.30 PM
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Fri. Nov. 1st</b>
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U. S. A. and United Kingdom via Vancouver B. C. (Parcels for Canada only)	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 31/10, 8.00 PM Reg. 1/11, 9.15 AM Ord. 1/11, 10.00 AM
Note:—All Mails for United Kingdom will be forwarded with or without superscription	Sat. 2nd K.P.O. Par. 4.00 PM Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Sat. 2nd</b>
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U. S. A., Canada, Central and South America and United Kingdom via San Francisco (No Parcels for Canada)	G.P.O. Par. 4.00 PM Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>Mon. 4th</b>
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U. S. A., Canada, Central and South America and United Kingdom via San Francisco	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 2/11 5.00 PM Ord. 2/11 8.30 AM
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 2/11, 5.00 PM Reg. 4/11, 9.45 AM Ord. 4/11, 9.30 AM
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mombasa, Belra, Lourenco-Marques, East and South Africa, via Durban	2.30 PM

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